

WEATHER: Fair tonight, lows 25-30. Thursday cloudy, colder at night.
Temperatures: 25 at 6 a. m. 32 at noon. Yesterday 53 at noon, 40 at 6 p. m. High and low for 24 hours to noon today: 53 and 25. High and low year ago 32 and 19. (Additional Information on Page 8)

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Services On Friday For Postmaster A. Earl Beardmore

Funeral services for Postmaster A. Earl Beardmore, who died at 1:45 p. m. Tuesday in City Hospital, will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the Arbaugh-Pearce funeral home.

Rev. Harold G. Ogden, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will officiate and burial will be in Hope Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening.

Mr. Beardmore, who had served 16 years as postmaster, had been active in civic affairs most of his life.

He had served as president of the Board of Education, was city treasurer at one time and was active in alumni affairs of Salem High School.

His death was the result of a heart ailment which forced him to resign from the school board in 1946. Although in ill health for the last four years, he managed to be at his postoffice desk from time to time.

Born at Empire, O., in Jefferson county, he was the son of Hiram H. and Jenny Brown Beardmore. He had spent most of his life in Salem, however.

Mr. Beardmore was a graduate of Salem High School, where he was active in athletics. He later attended Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh.

He was a past president of the Salem High School Alumni Association, a member of the scholarship committee of the association, a member of the Presbyterian Church and of Perry Lodge, F. & A. M.

He was a director of the Columbian County Motor Club, was former treasurer of the Hope Cemetery Association, and was once cashier of the former Citizens' bank here.

He was named to the Board of Education Sept. 1, 1938, to succeed Clyde Reich, who had resigned. He was a member of the board for nearly eight years, serving as president from January, 1944, to June of 1946, when he resigned.

Surviving are his wife, Leah Shane Beardmore; two sons, Thomas of Salem and William of Columbus; his father, one sister, Miss Ethel Beardmore, Salem High School teacher; a brother, Lawrence D., of Salem; and one granddaughter. Another son, Albert, preceded him in death.

Bidault Government Faces Another Vote

PARIS, Dec. 28—(AP)—The fate of France's government hung today on a vote of confidence by the National Assembly on Premier Georges Bidault's tax increase program to meet a record-breaking budget for 1950.

Bidault climaxed an all-night session early this morning by asking for the second vote of confidence within a week.

Under a constitutional requirement for a "cooling-off" period the vote probably will not take place until early Friday.

If Bidault loses, there is little hope that his successor would be able to gain the confidence of the Assembly. This would mean that the cabinet can call national elections without approval by Parliament, and deputies would then be faced with defending their seats at the polls.

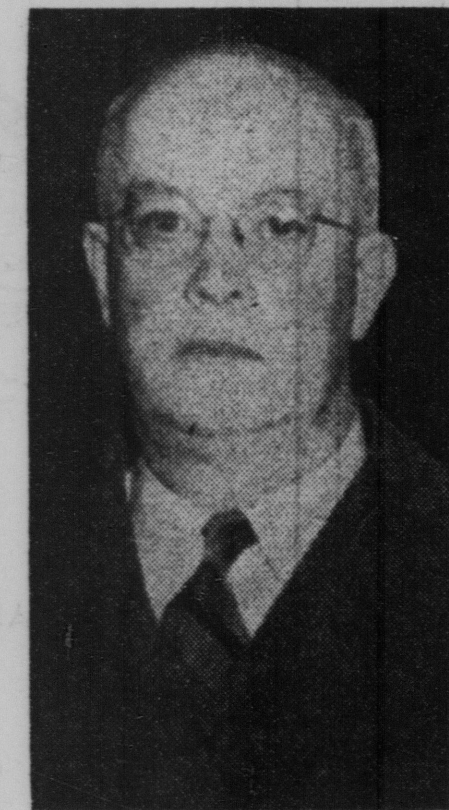
Traffic Mishaps Result In Suits Asking \$16,525

LISBON, Dec. 28—Four damage actions were filed in common pleas court today as the result of two traffic accidents on county highways.

The collision of an automobile and a motor bike on the Leetonia-Washingtonville road last Sept. 17 is the basis of two actions. The petitions were filed by Joseph Fast of Washingtonville on behalf of his son, William Fast, and by Ralph L. Hall, R. D. 5, Salem, on behalf of his son, Robert, the former asking \$10,000 and the latter \$5,000 in suits brought against Lester Safred of R. D. 1, Leetonia.

Robert Hall was riding the motorbike with William Fast as a passenger when it is alleged the boys were struck by a car driven by Safred.

Harry McDanel of East Palestine is defendant in actions filed by Garfield Riggs on behalf of his son, Garfield, Jr., and by John J. Riggs, the former demanding \$1,150 and the latter \$375 as the result of an automobile accident on Route 170 near East Palestine in the early morning of Jan. 28, 1948.



A. Earl Beardmore

U. S. A. Will Act To Aid U. S. I.

Diplomatic Exchange, Loan Expected Soon

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—(AP)—The United States of Indonesia and the United States of America were due to set up formal diplomatic relations today as sister republics in the cold war against communism.

Along with President Truman's announcement that this country is recognizing the new Asiatic nation, diplomats expected him to nominate veteran career diplomat H. Merle Cochran as first American ambassador to the former Dutch colony.

United States recognition of Indonesia has been in the cards all along.

This country vigorously promoted the settlement with the Netherlands which brought independence to the 77,000,000 Indonesians, and likewise defended their leaders against Soviet bloc attacks in the United Nations.

The State department forecast late yesterday that the White House would act within 24 hours, after complying with "certain formalities."

The administration is hopeful the republic will not only become a strong barrier against the advance of communism in southeast Asia, but will also contribute increasingly to world recovery.

It therefore is ready to consider an early loan to finance a revival of Indonesian trade. Toward that end, a long-standing \$100,000,000 loan application has recently been dusted off by the export-import bank.

Cochran, a top authority on Indonesia, already was en route to Jakarta—formerly Batavia—capital of the republic.

Soviet Will Release U. S. Relief Official

VIENNA, Dec. 28—(AP)—Soviet authorities agreed today to release Israel G. Jacobson, American Jewish relief official, to the custody of United States officials.

Jacobson, held by Russians at the Austro-Hungarian border after being expelled by Hungary as a suspected spy, was expected to be released this afternoon.

Brig. Gen. James Fry, deputy U. S. high commissioner, was assigned to make arrangements for Jacobson's release, probably dealing with his Russian counterpart, Col. Gen. Alexei Zheltov. They were to select a site somewhere in the Russian occupation zone where the release would take place.

Jacobson was taken into custody by Soviet border guards last night shortly after he was freed from a Hungarian jail and expelled from the country yesterday. He had been held for 12 days. When he reached the border, a Soviet patrol told him his papers were not in order.

U. S. officials in Vienna promptly asked the Russians to release Jacobson to American custody.

FIRE DAMAGE SLIGHT

No damage resulted from a chimney fire in the home of J. F. Skivnac of 568 Aetna st. at 7:35 p. m. Tuesday, the fire department reported.

Sacred Concert

at Winona Friends Church. Rayleigh Harris of Akron will play the vibraphone, Swiss bells, piano and chimes. 7:30 p. m. Thurs., Dec. 29.

Budget Battle No. 1 Issue Facing Congress

GOP Fears More Deficit If Farm Plan Is Approved

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—(AP)—Returning lawmakers chalked up red ink spending today as the top domestic issue in the new session of congress opening next week.

Republicans put the finger on the Truman administration's "Fair Deal" program as the cause of the treasury's present financial woes.

Senator Taft of Ohio, who heads the senate GOP policy committee said even worse troubles are ahead if the Democrats can push the Brannan farm subsidy payment through congress.

In a weekly report to Ohio voters, he estimated that subsidies under such a plan to \$6,000,000,000 yearly.

The scheme would guarantee the farmer's income on some perishable products, letting those products reach their own price level on the market. Under the plan the consumer would benefit from the lower prices.

"Since the farmer and consumers are the taxpayers, they would simply get a bill from the government for the benefits they are supposed to receive, plus a sum added in to pay salaries to several hundred thousand employees required to administer the plan," Taft said.

Some Democrats, including Senate Majority Leader Lucas of Illinois, defended red ink spending as a necessary measure to insure world peace.

Lucas, announcing he is running for re-election, told an audience in Havana, Ill., last night:

"I hate deficit financing. I hate to have the government borrowing more money from the American people."

"But if we must make a choice between a period of deficit financing to strengthen our chance for peace or running the chance of engaging in an atomic war, I will declare right now that I prefer the risk of deficit financing."

Sticks to T-H Repeal Aim

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—(INS)—President Truman refuses to abandon his fight for immediate repeal of the Taft-Hartley law even though his legislative and labor supporters have given up the battle.

In typical Truman fashion, the chief executive will buck the odds and demand outright repeal of the act, passed in 1947 by Republican majorities in both houses of congress.

The President wants the Republican-sponsored labor law wiped off the statute books and replaced by the far more liberal Wagner act, one of the original Roosevelt "New Deal" labor reforms, with "certain improvements."

City Hospital Medical Staff Elects Dr. Beaver

Dr. Paul H. Beaver of Leetonia was elected president of the medical staff at Salem City hospital at the annual meeting Tuesday night. He succeeds Dr. Guy E. Byers, who had served two successive terms as president.

Other new officers are: Vice president, Dr. Lee Bookwalter of Columbiana, and secretary-treasurer, Dr. Paul Conrad of Leetonia. A technical discussion also was a part of the meeting.

Attorney Powers Gives Talk To Rotary Club

Atty Franklin D. Powers of Poland spoke on, "Where are we going, and Why," at the Rotary Club meeting Tuesday noon at the Memorial building. He discussed the political problems of today and the activities of special interest groups.

Harold Benson was in charge of the program.

All garments received for Cleaning Thurs. will be ready Saturday. Paris Cleaners and Fur Storage—Ph. 3710. Ad.

Salem High Basketball Reserve tickets for double-header games Thurs., Dec. 29, & Fri., Dec. 30, may be ordered by dialing 3263 tomorrow between 10-12 a. m., and 1-3 p. m. Gates open 6:15 both nights. Ad.



"Miss America of 1949," Jacqueline Mercer, 18, is pictured with her husband, Doug Cook, after a surprise wedding.

Miss America Sheds The Miss, Marries Her High School Steady

LITCHFIELD PARK, Ariz., Dec. 28—(AP)—A high school romance has blossomed into marriage for Miss America of 1949.

Jacque Mercer, the national beauty queen, exchanged vows with Douglas Cook at the non-denominational Community church here yesterday afternoon.

They have gone steady for the past five years.

The marriage was a surprise affair. Only last Friday the couple had announced their engagement and set the date at the altar for next July 4.

The new Mrs. Cook is a resident of Litchfield Park. She will be 19 next month. Cook, 20, lives in Phoenix, but has been studying art at the University of Chicago.

The left on a two or three day honeymoon last night, traveling in the 1949 car given Jacque as part of her gifts for winning the Miss America title. Their destination was not disclosed.

The marriage immediately touched off a discussion whether Miss Mercer would be able to retain her title. At the time of the engagement, her mother, Mrs. Arthur Mercer, reported she had been informed by Miss America pageant officials it would make no difference.

However, at Atlantic City, Park W. Haverstick, president of the Miss America board of directors, said Miss Mercer's status would have to be determined at a special directors meeting to be called in a few days.

"We no longer have a Miss America," he said, claiming there was no precedent to follow in the case of marriage. "What action the board will take will depend on whether Miss Mercer will be able to fill her engagements between now and September."

Jacque, however, said it was her intention to go on "being Miss America until my year is up." Other than that she would make no comment.

It has been estimated that the holder of the Miss America title makes in the vicinity of \$50,000 for personal appearances, endorsements of goods, etc., over the course of a year.

Town 'Stinking' As Fertilizer Burns

WRIGHTSVILLE, Ga., Dec. 28—(AP)—Wrightsville was a stinking town last night—more than 2,000 tons of fertilizer was on fire.

The suffering citizens, their noses to the leeward, were pretty burned up, too.

The fire, still smoldering today, sent billows of smoke high in the air and could be seen for miles.

The smell moved far afield. Before news of the fire spread, housewives searched for burning rags and motorists stopped to inspect their cars for smoldering rubber or ignition wires.

Firemen yearned for a good, clean, old-fashioned fire.

Town Hall Diner, 24-Hour service Fri., Sat. & Sun. Open Mon., Jan. 2, as usual. Ad.

Suspect Red Sympathizer In UAW Plot

Kassay, Man Who Sabotaged Blimp, Sought In Bomb Plot

DETROIT, Dec. 28—(UP)—State police said today that Paul F. Kassay, alleged Communist sympathizer who vanished after being charged with sabotaging a blimp in 1931, is a suspect in the Reuther shootings and the CIO United Auto Workers dynamite plot.

Commissioners Donald S. Leonard of the state police said that Kassay "seems to be just the type of man we're looking for."

"He's got the background that would suggest possible connection with the shootings and dynamite attempt," Leonard said.

Kassay, 55-year-old demolitions expert and a former Hungarian naval captain, was hired by the Goodyear Rubber Co. at Akron in 1931 as a general laborer on a large blimp.

Authorities accused him of trying to sabotage the blimp by omitting essential rivets and metal braces, and charged him under an Ohio criminal syndicalism law. However, an Ohio court ruled the law unconstitutional before Kassay was brought to trial and he was released.

The Ohio supreme court later ruled the law valid, and Kassay again was arrested on the charge. He jumped \$25,000 bond furnished by fellow Goodyear workers and his whereabouts since that time are a mystery, officials said.

Michigan state police said that a general alarm would not be sent out for Kassay "until we check him thoroughly."

President Walter Reuther of the UAW was assaulted in his home April 20, 1948, and his brother, Victor, the union's educational director, lost an eye to an assailant last May 24.

Dynamiters tried to blow up the union's international headquarters a week ago last night, but a bungled fuse prevented ignition of 39 sticks of explosive.

Keener, Shah Of Iran Renew Friendship

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—An Ohio industrialist and the Shah of Iran met Tuesday to begin an acquaintanceship that began a few weeks ago when the 61-year-old businessman girdled the globe in his private plane.

Sam Keener, Salem, Ohio, president of the Salem Engineering Co. and the Shah chatted for 30 minutes in the latter's Waldorf Astoria hotel suite. Keener presented the Shah with a pair of albums crammed with pictures taken on his trip.

They met after Keener landed his big DC-4, a virtual flying office in Iran. It was one stop on a round-the-world business trip by Keener that lasted more than four months. Although he has his own pilot, Keener did most of the flying himself.

During their meeting Tuesday, the two chatted about their last meeting and of Iran's seven-year plan to improve its industry, agriculture and sanitation.

Harry Returns To His Chores At White House

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Dec. 28—(AP)—The man so many people hereabouts refer to without disrespect as "Harry" returns today to the job of running the government.

Ending his annual Christmas vacation at home, President Truman planned to leave Fairfax airport in nearby Kansas City, Kas., in his plane, the Independence, about 12 noon. The flight to Washington usually takes about four hours.

When he gets back to the White House, Mr. Truman must put the finishing touches on three major messages to congress and otherwise resume the burdens of government.

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Betty Lou Marbury

Betty Lou's Hand Removed; Spirit High

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 28—(AP)—Betty Lou Marbury's right hand—the one she hoped prayer would save—was removed today.

A Baptist hospital nurse announced the hand was amputated between the wrist and elbow.

Just before entering the hospital room, Betty's spirits were still high.

"If the Lord wants my hand, that's all right with me," she said.

Doctors decided only an amputation could save the life of the 10-year-old farm girl, whose plea for prayer stirred hearts across the nation.

She is suffering from a malignant bone tumor on the third finger of her right hand. The amputation is designed to keep the malignant from spreading through the bloodstream.

Her father, Clay Marbury, broke the news to her gently yesterday soon after she was admitted to Baptist hospital. He told her she might die if the hand is not removed.

"She wasn't a child when she heard that," he said. "She was a grown-up woman."

Later Betty laughed and chatted in her room. The parents wept.

Betty's doctor announced the decision last night to The Memphis Commercial Appeal, which copyrighted the story.

It was to the newspaper that the pretty fifth grader wrote for prayer when she learned Nov. 30 her hand might be amputated just after Christmas. News services spread the story over the country.

The response was immediate. Churches held special prayers for her. She got thousands of letters and gifts. But she remained simple and unaffected.

She agreed with statements of many ministers who said it might not be God's will that the hand be saved. "If it must go," she said, "there's a purpose to it."

Merrymaking Some Cheaper This Year

By The Associated Press
Your dollar will go a bit further than one year ago if you celebrate the birth of the new year in a Cleveland or Cincinnati hotel or night club, a survey showed today.

But Columbus hotels and night clubs, queried by the Associated Press, said their prices would be the same as last year.

Charges will range from \$4.50 to \$10 per person plus drinks, at the main downtown Cleveland night spots. The \$10 charge includes a supper and revue.

Two night clubs in northern Kentucky, which thrive on Cincinnati trade, throw in a dinner for their \$10 per person charge.

You can dance and see a floor show at a Columbus night club for \$2.50 each. A hotel offers a midnight breakfast, dancing, music, and noisemakers for \$7.38, including taxes.

Add \$58,000 To Funds By 3 Transfers

Total \$175,000; Contract To Be Awarded In January

Erection of Salem's new one-story city hall building was virtually assured Tuesday night by the transfer of \$58,000 to the newly created "City Hall Building Fund" by city council in a special session.

The move, designed to boost the insufficient city hall fund (now containing approximately \$117,000), nearer to the \$187,000 necessary to award a contract to the lowest bidder on the project, assures construction within the next year.

The solons made the transfer under special authorization from the Ohio Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices. The okay, requested by council, was contained in a letter to City Solicitor Henry L. Reese. The fund will be a permanent one and funds placed in it are designated as strictly for use on the city hall project.

Council made the transfer from three funds in which surpluses exist as the year 1949 closes. Had the funds not been so used, they would have reverted to the county for re-distribution next year, councilmen said.

From the service fund, council transferred \$30,000, \$8,000 from the sidewalks fund and \$30,000 from the land and building fund.

Council President Harry Vincent, mayor-elect, said the board of control probably would wait until after the first of the year to let the contracts for the building's erection.

The new structure, a one-story affair to house police, fire and water departments, will be located at the southwest corner of S. Broadway and E. Pershing st. Other city offices will be temporarily housed in a residence at that site.

Council and the board of control apparently will award the contract to the Campbell Construction Co. of Warren, whose bid was \$187,060. Additional funds needed, approximately \$12,000, will be secured when the city's 1950 appropriation measures are drawn up. More funds will be available in the above three funds in 1950, councilmen believe.

The move last night answers a serious problem council has faced regarding the city hall project.

Since the bond issue of \$160,000 was passed by voters, building costs have increased more than 100 per cent. Council spent \$40,000 for three properties and some additional funds for architectural work, thus depleting the fund to approximately \$117,000.

When bids were received, increased costs put the structure away out of range as originally planned. Even bids on the one-story building were excessive.

Council feels that it has saved taxpayers considerable money by its present action, for it will probably not be necessary to ask for more bonds to erect the building now. Thus no interest payment and the resulting tax increases will be required at this time, councilmen explained.

Wants Project Approved

Council also passed Tuesday a resolution approving the East Cold Run water project, a \$1,188,000 job (architect's estimate), and asking approval of the state department of health on the plan.

Plans and specifications will be sent immediately to the state department, along with the resolution, for their approval. The Chester Engineering Co. of Pittsburgh recommended the project to council.

Studebaker Claims Profit On Plant Sale

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 28—(AP)—Harold S. Vance, president of the Studebaker Corp., said yesterday that that firm expects to realize a "considerable profit" from sale of its subsidiary, Empire Steel Corp., at Mansfield, O.

The report out of Mansfield that the Studebaker Corp. had sold its wholly-owned subsidiary, Empire Steel Corp., at a substantial loss is in error," he said.

The steel company yesterday was sold to the Rema Co. of Dover, O.



FIRST BABY ANNUAL CONTEST

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Contest Editor, The Salem News, not later than Jan. 4, 1950.

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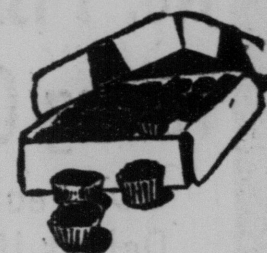


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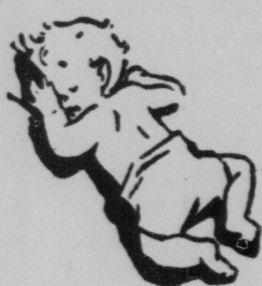
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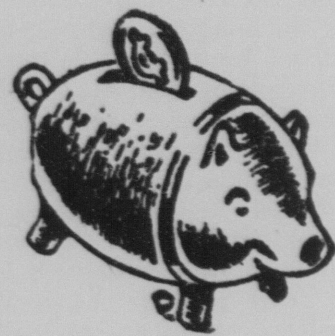
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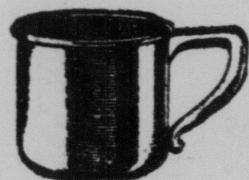


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Wednesday, December 28, 1949

They Will Be Missed

The community has suffered a double blow in the death of Ralph Hawley and Earl Beardmore, two prominent citizens whose sound experience and leadership could have meant so much to Salem's future.

Both men's zealous endeavors reflected the love they had for their home town and the unselfish desire to make it better.

Their deaths have left their respective fields and their wide circle of friends the poorer by an outstanding newspaperman and a very able postmaster.

Ralph Hawley's career was the common experience of many men of his generation who knew what they wanted and weren't afraid to work for it. He earned his first newspaper pay as a carrier boy. In 1906 he became a reporter. He served as an editor and a publisher. But whatever his title, he served always as a faithful and conscientious member of the newspaper fraternity.

In his home community, in the newspaper business and in the organization which he helped to guide he will be missed on all occasions when his advice, his encouragement, and his gentle genius for getting things done will be remembered in the years to come.

Earl Beardmore's career extended beyond his duties as postmaster, a position which he had faithfully discharged for the last 16 years. His ability was recognized in higher postal circles when he was appointed to the executive committee of the Ohio Chapter of the National Association of Postmasters.

He was singled out for appointment to the Salem Board of Education and, after two years as a member, was honored by being elected president of the board by fellow members. It was with regret that he was forced to resign due to ill health.

The People Be (Censored)

It wasn't Christmas spirit that bubbled over when Ohio Democratic leaders, minus Governor Lausche, got their heads together in Columbus this week. It was the spirit of practical politics—the kind of politics which holds that the people don't know what's good for them and therefore should let the politicians decide.

Ohio Democratic leaders, minus Governor Lausche—the only one who can do any real leading, incidentally—have decided that the off-type ballot approved by voters last election day must be blocked by hook or crook. They have decided this because the ballot would make it difficult for Democratic bosses in cities like Cleveland to roll up huge majorities with straight-ticket voters; i. e., voters who might have a hard time trying to vote for and against candidates instead of party symbols in a circle at the head of a party-column ballot.

And the reason this worries the bosses is because it looks as if they'd have to run some weak sister against Bob Taft next year and the weak sister wouldn't have a chance without straight-ticket voting in the balliwicks of the Democratic bosses. Therefore, in a spirit of practical politics, the Democratic leaders, minus Governor Lausche, are trying to cook up a scheme to set aside the result of the referendum on the off-type ballot and use the kind of ballot the bosses want.

Apparently, Governor Lausche was absent because he thinks this cynical scheme may backfire. If so, he's right. Ohioans have taken a fancy to the off-type ballot, which is more than they've ever done in the case of political bossism.

Brain Power

The Einstein theory of relativity is another name in the United States for something true that can't be comprehended by ordinary minds. In the same general category of complexity is the Einstein equation which led to the splitting

of the atom; only a few minds were able to comprehend that as a theory—and not many more can comprehend it as a demonstrated fact.

Albert Einstein now has a new theory, which he and his friends believe will be the ultimate monument to this genius. It is a theory of gravitation. No one ever has understood gravity, yet Dr. Einstein, using his extraordinary facility for reasoning through mathematics, thinks he understands it, though he admits he can furnish no proof. That may be furnished later by some of the minds being applied to understanding what the Associated Press speaks of as 20 mimeographed pages of "typewritten words and squiggly mathematical symbols that even scientists hesitate to interpret." When Dr. Einstein submits a theory, the combined intellectual resources of the whole world are applied to its refinement and demonstrations of its truth.

That, in itself, is perhaps more astounding than the incredible ability of Einstein to reason his way through the unknown—that his ability to use his brain is respected. A few centuries ago he would have been burned at the stake for having thoughts which others couldn't comprehend. A few years ago he would have been expelled from Germany—and was, in 1934. Today, he runs no greater risk than the likelihood that someone in Russia will have figured out the whole thing while Albert Einstein was still a baby. Belatedly, the world has developed infinite tolerance for the pure brain power which is the only thing that can save it from the consequences of its own stupidity.

Halfway Mark

Aside from the quibble about technicalities, these are the last days of the first half of the 20th century as far as the calendar is concerned.

Beginning next Sunday, the calendar will say 1950, which marks the beginning of the five decades leading up to the turn of a new century.

The matter requires thought along an unavoidably morbid line; namely, that the next 50 years will be too long a span for all except the young. Yet, as the span ends, hope runs high.

When the time comes to ring out the year 1999 and ring in the year 2000, that will be an extraordinary occasion—for those who are still around. In the meantime, it's going to be quite an occasion to ring out 1949 and ring in 1950. It won't be long now—only another half century.

Looking Backward

From The News Files

FORTY YEARS AGO—Miss Estelle M. Meyerhofer of McKinley ave. returned Monday after a week visit in New York City with her aunt, Miss Eva Deming, and friends in Boston.

A surprise party was held at the home of Miss Della Jackson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kridler entertained a large party of relatives at their home on New Year's Day.

Charles Haviland of E. Seventh st. spent the weekend with his sister in Canton.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO—Joe Weber and Lew Fields, famous old comedians, have been reunited again in Los Angeles, where they will attempt to regain fame with film adaptations of their old-time stage successes.

Officers and committee chairmen of the Rotary Club were guests of President W. H. Dunn at a dinner at his home on Lincoln ave. Monday.

Elizabeth Miller, who has been attending the Margaret Manley Sidel School of Music at Columbus, will arrive home Tuesday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Miller, Lincoln ave.

TEN YEARS AGO—Germany protested to the Argentine government against internment of officers and crew of the scuttled pocket battleship, Admiral Graf Spee.

Joseph D. Morris, students at Peddie School in Hightstown, N. J., has returned to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Morris, Ridgewood dr.

FIVE YEARS AGO—Omego Nu Tau Sorority members were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harold Shears, W. Sixth st., yesterday at their annual Christmas party.

Sports editors voted for the oddity of the year and the winner was the occasion when Headlinesman Dr. Dave Reese was caught between Cadet Fullback Doc Blanchard and two Irish tacklers in the Army-Notre Dame game and had his arm broken. The score—Army 59, Notre Dame 0—was another oddity.

Allied air might lashed fiercely in a break in the weather at Nazi armored columns, dealing repeated bomb smashes against the German offensive tide that had reached within 29 miles of historic Sedan.

Three-Legged Races Are Fun, if You Keep in Step



Sec. Johnson, 'Commander'

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON

SECRETARY of Defense Louis Johnson revealed in a little-noticed speech the other day that he now considers himself for all practical purposes the commander-in-chief of the U. S. Army, Navy and Air Forces.

Mr. Johnson conceded that there may be a few exceptions where it is "appropriate" for the President of the United States to be consulted, but in the main, his idea is that Congress has delegated to the secretary of defense what the Constitution says is a power vested only in the President who is elected by the people.

Earlier this year when Mr. Johnson ordered the construction abandoned on the Navy's newest prototype of a modern aircraft carrier, Mr. Johnson placed much stress on the fact that he was acting on the recommendation and advice of the U. S. Joint chiefs of staff. From one end of the country to the other came protests that nowhere had Congress given the U. S. joint chiefs of staff the power to decide by a two-to-one vote what a third service shall do with the funds allocated to it by Congress.

FOR MONTHS there has been criticism of the two-to-one system in the joint chiefs. Now Secretary Johnson in an address before a non-military body in New York City—the annual dinner of the New York County Lawyers Association—makes this important and rather historic pronouncement on military policy which will certainly interest the members of Congress. He says:

"The concept that decisions are made by a two-to-one vote in the joint chiefs of staff is a fallacy. The joint chiefs of staff do not vote, neither do they decide. They recommend. The secretary of defense or, where appropriate, the President himself, does the deciding. The ultimate decision of the secretary of defense or the President is not necessarily governed by the fact that two of the chiefs may recommend substantially identical courses of action, while a third recommends something different. All that any difference of opinion means is that the issue must be decided by someone other than the joint chiefs of staff."

THIS IS A complete reversal of the policy by which the United States fought successfully the biggest war in all history, when the joint chiefs were expected to and did reach unanimous agreements. This was because they were expected to and did reach unanimous agreements. This was because they were required not to act simply as commanding officers of a given service, but as a group of three military advisers interested solely in carrying out the assigned missions jointly.

THEN CONGRESS in the unification law specifically delegated to the joint chiefs the task of making the strategy of the United States. It implied that the three services should reach an agreement on strategy. They have done so. Also they reached a momentous agreement on the missions and roles which each of the three services were to follow.

This is what is known as the "Key West Agreement," clarified and supplemented by the "Newport agreement."

But Congress reserved for itself the right to determine how much money should be appropriated for each service and also how each service should be permitted to develop its own weapons.

Mr. Johnson has ignored Congress. He has delegated to a committee headed by an Air Force officer the determination of how much money each service shall have. He has allowed the joint chiefs to recommend how much money shall be allotted to the other services and what weapons the other services may have.

This is in complete disregard of the Key West and Newport Agreements which spelled out exactly that the Navy, for instance, should be permitted to perform its mission of control of the seas by the use of air power. This meant that the navy fliers launched from carrier decks could fly over land areas to attack enemy submarine bases. It also meant that in certain areas more accessible through aircraft carriers than by land-based planes, the Navy could actually strike at military installations of any kind necessary to advance the strategic plans of war.

ADMIRAL SHERMAN, chief of naval operations, in a speech at Boston last week said:

"Our outstanding superiority over the Russian fleet lies in our carrier force. The maintenance of our carrier force is essential to our uninterrupted use of vital sea communications. It is also essential to naval support of the Army and the Air Force. It is the core of the offensive power of the fleet. It is the most mobile tactical air force in existence."

When Mr. Johnson says the joint chiefs "do not recommend" and do not "vote," he is endeavoring to minimize the implications of his many months of maland gave the U. S. joint chiefs of staff which he has allowed to deal not only with strategy but the details of how each service shall conduct its detailed research and utilization of its own weapons.

But he is going now from the

frying pan into the fire. He is taking unto himself the position of civilian commander-in-chief which implies a great deal more than Congress ever intended when it wrote the unification law and gave the U. S. joint chiefs the task of deciding the military strategy of the United States.

The step which Mr. Johnson has taken will introduce a new phase of debate in the unification controversy and will most certainly lead to attempts to clarify by amendment the existing unification statute.

Mr. Johnson now announces that he and not the men who know most about it will say virtually the final word on military strategy.

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One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN

This should be a quiet New Year's Eve . . . Governor Dewey has recommended that New Yorkers drink the Hudson.

It may not be as much fun but there's less hangover content.

Anyway we had as much luck with our 1949 resolutions as Harry had with his 1949 program but he expects to try again.

Old Chinese philosopher say "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again." New American philosophy, "If at first you don't succeed, give up . . . government take care of you."

Investigation of the dynamite plot against the UAW is still progressing . . . there is some grim belief that all they wanted left of Reuther was his two front teeth.

So far no one has called it a "Wall Street plot."

Barbs

An English woman is cutting a third set of teeth. To what lengths will they go to stay youthful?

A scientist says there are 1800 storms going on every minute. Has he been peeking in or out windows?

It Wasn't Your Fault, Soldier

FROM CAMP CHAFFEE (ARK.) REVEILLE

IT WASN'T your fault, soldier. It happened just like the witnesses said it happened. Jacky ran from behind a parked car and you didn't have time to stop.

Jacky's mother and I hold no bitterness toward you. The grief that possesses our hearts leaves no room for lesser emotions. Far from being bitter, a part of our sorrow is for you, Jacky's scream, the impact of his body and the crushing of his flesh and bone are things that we did not see or hear—but we know you will see and hear them for many years.

And a part of our sorrow is for our future, which your car and Jack's thoughtlessness destroyed. Jacky was our future, you know. Now he will never be a star fullback at college nor president of the United States. And his mother and I feel a hopeless loneliness with all old broken things.

Except for the awful reality that it did happen, Jacky could not have been killed at the time

he was killed. You see there weren't any automobiles then.

You couldn't see the whole thing because you live in a different time. But Jacky was on a desperate mission. On his horse, Thunder, he had broken through the Apaches attacking the wagon train and was riding for the cavalry. Time was against him and Geronimo was closely pursuing. In Jacky's mind was the vision of the horrors to be suffered by the women and children in that wagon train if he failed on his mission. He didn't see your car because it couldn't be there.

He'd almost succeeded. The fort was in sight and the colonel of cavalry—his mother at other times—had already poured milk and spread a piece of bread with butter and jam for the heroic messenger. But he didn't quite get through.

No, it wasn't your fault, soldier. I wish it had been. Anger would be an antidote for the hopeless sorrow that is mine.

Hic, Hic, Hurrah!

By INEZ ROBB

New York State Now Pays Habitual Drinkers

NEW YORK
IF RUDOLPH, the red-nosed reindeer, has the sense bestowed upon most four-legged critters by the almighty, he will high-tail it to New York state on the double.

There is no doubt in my mind that if Rudolph, a repulsive and redundant character on the radio this otherwise happy yuletide season, will just bring himself and his most prominent facial feature to this state, he will be in clover or eideweiss or whatever reindeer prefer for the rest of his natural life.

As of Jan. 1, 1950, New York state will recognize alcoholism as a disease under the new state sickness disability law that pays temporary cash benefits for non-occupational illness.

Hereafter in the Empire state, a neon schnozzola such as Rudolph boasts will be a free pass to the gravy train. The state will shower down with cash benefits to "medically proven compulsive drinkers who are unable to work."

Although this song carefully conceals Rudolph's case history and his psychosomatic past, there has never been any doubt in my mind that this reindeer is a "compulsive drinker" or what Papa used to call a "bum."

THE SONG ADMITS openly that all the other reindeer avoided Rudolph like the plague for years until a kindly old man named S. Claus took him under his protection.

Now, why did the other reindeer avoid Rudolph? Because he had halitosis, undie odor, B. O.? With that nose? Ha! The other reindeer very obviously avoided this Rudolph because he was a sot, a tosspot and a lachrymose lush.

In his own community, his fellow citizens had Rudolph pegged for what he so obviously was—a no-good, falling-down drunk.

But in this bright new world which is dawning for all of us, in which no wise guy will work and only the squares will toil, Rudolph has been reclassified. He is no longer a bum. Rudolph is a compulsive drunk and he's going to get paid for it.

If you think Rudolph and his other red-nosed chums are going to join Alcoholics Anonymous, when they can get paid for being more or less permanently crooked, you just don't know Rudolph. What price hangover? The life of Riley, kids, and don't forget it!

I was brought up to be honest, industrious, self-respecting and stone sober. And I am here today to testify that such rearing is not only old-fashioned but a complete gyp.

IF PAPA had only let me follow my natural instincts, which were to hang around the pool hall and drink hair tonic with the boys, I would not today be a grubby wage slave, a cog in the economic machine, wasting my sweetness and youth in the grim purgatory of the great city.

If Papa could only have seen thirty years into the future, he would have brought me up to be a lady lush with a glass of doghair in one hand and a check from the New York state workmen's compensation fund in the other.

I never have learned to get lushed up. And it's going to come kinda hard for me now. But when the boys pass out the booze, I don't want to be the only one left in the lurch, if you will pardon the expression.

It is going to take a little time to tint my nose 'till I am in a class with Rudolph. But what I always say is that what a reindeer can do, homo sapiens can do if he puts his lips to the bottle.

Rudolph is away ahead of me at the start. I shall have to work up to the status of a lost weekend, whereas it is quite obvious that Rudolph, by this time, has already mislaid several years.

But her goes, kids.

Hic, hic, hurrah!

(International News Service)

Health To You

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Glaucoma, Painful Eye Condition

GLAUCOMA is one of the most common and serious causes of blindness. It is a particularly tragic condition because eye specialists say that its worst effects can be eliminated or at least greatly reduced by early diagnosis and by starting proper treatment promptly.

In other words this is a condition which if neglected or if treatment is not carefully followed causes a progressive loss of vision, not to mention the pain and other uncomfortable symptoms.

There are several varieties of glaucoma recognized by medical men. One of them is acute glaucoma which generally begins with severe pain in one eye rather than in both. Both eyes water and the affected eyeball looks inflamed or infected. Swelling of the eyelids is common.

In most cases the cause cannot be discovered though it is often associated with hardening of the arteries. Four principal kinds are described. These are the acute inflammatory, the chronic inflam-

matory, the "absolute" and chronic simple types.

Glaucoma comes principally to people between 35 and 70 and is a little more common in women than in men. The acute inflammation usually subsides and gradually becomes chronic. The so-called "absolute" glaucoma is merely the final stage of a glaucoma which has not been successfully treated.

In this disease it is extremely important to make a diagnosis and begin treatment early. When this is done the eye can be saved in almost all cases. Certain drugs are extremely helpful in the early stages, though they may have to be continued more or less indefinitely.

Total blindness can occur. For all these reasons, there are few conditions known in which it is more important to make an early diagnosis, start proper treatment promptly, and continue it without let up.

BIBLE THOUGHTS

For who hath despised the day of small things? For they shall rejoice, and shall see the plummet in the hand of Zerubbabel with those seven; they are the eyes of the Lord, which run to and fro through the whole earth.—Zechariah 4:10.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"I can't coax him to come out and try his new sled—I don't want to go coasting alone!"

On Albert Einstein

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK

ALBERT EINSTEIN is a man who plumbs the secrets of the atom and the universe—and yet can't understand an income tax blank.

It is a measure of the humility of the greatest living mathematician that he cheerfully admitted in 1944 he had to call in a tax expert to help him figure how much he owes Uncle Sam.

But money always has been a matter of comparative indifference to this "scientist's scientist." He once used a \$1,500 check from the Rockefeller foundation as a bookmark—and lost the book. He gave his 1921 Nobel prize award money to charity.

Now at 70 Einstein, regarded by many as the finest mind of our time, has crowned a noble life with a new theory of gravitation.

Its implications will be lost to the average man whose knowledge of gravity can be summed up in the phrase "all that goes

up must come down." But science, in time, will have to choose between the theories of Einstein and those of Newton.

THE THEORY of relativity, postulated by Einstein in 1905 at the age of 26, first shocked the scientific world. That controversy seemed a lot of hullabaloo to the average man then. It seemed to touch him not at all. But the atom bomb is a by-product of that theory—and today it touches the life of everyone.

The truth is that this gentle, dreamy looking little man is one of the great revolutionaries of history. He is the mental architect of a new world now in its birth pangs.

Some men have changed history with vast armies. Einstein does it with a fountain pen scribbling strange mathematical formulas on a pad of paper held on his knee. And the scientists go into their laboratories and use those formulas to open up fresh vistas of atomic power.

Einstein's life has been a paradox. As a child he was regarded as backward. He is by nature a pacifist, yet his discoveries led to the most terrible weapon yet devised—the atom bomb.

"War seems to me a mean, contemptible thing," he once said. "I would rather be hacked to pieces than take part in such an abominable business."

HE HAS BEEN a devoted and eloquent fighter for freedom of inquiry and the dignity of man.

"Let every man be respected as an individual and no man idolized," he said in modest objection to the adulation accorded him. "It is an irony of fate that I myself have been the recipient of excessive admiration and respect from my fellows through no fault of my own."

During a stopover in China on a world tour he refused to ride in a rickshaw, saying:

"I will not be a part of the making of a man a draft animal." Einstein takes in good temper the jokes on his absent-mindedness—he sometimes has to be reminded to put on shoes when he leaves his study—and his fondness for wearing old clothes.

When his wife on one occasion objected to his baggy look, he quoted her Spinoza:

"It would be a sad situation if the bag was better than the meat wrapped in it."

(AP Newsfeatures)

Social Affairs

Eleanor Schnell Presented Gifts At Pre-Nuptial Party

Miss Eleanor Schnell, bride-elect of Frank Patten, was feted at a pre-nuptial party given by Miss Lois Savage of Lakewood Monday afternoon at the Schnell home, Ellsworth rd.

The party was a surprise for Miss Schnell and she was presented a shower of lovely gifts. Holiday appointments were used in the lunch.

Guests were from Salem, Columbiana and Damascus.

Miss Schnell and Mr. Patten have planned a candlelight wedding for 7:30 p. m. Sunday, Jan. 8, in the Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

The bride-elect has chosen her niece, Miss Savage, a student at Heidelberg College, for her maid of honor.

Bridesmaids will be Miss Mary Catherine Scullion of Salem, student at the Kent State University; Miss Muriel Harris of Bristol, Conn., student at the University of Connecticut; Joan Vaughn of Columbiana, who is attending Ohio State University, and Miss Mary Lou Sherrets, Canton nurse. Jodine Moore of Salem, a niece of Miss Schnell, will be flower girl.

Walter Ibele of Salem, student at the University of Cincinnati, will be Mr. Patten's best man.

Ushers will be Howard Robert Sabers of Hanover, a cousin of the future groom; Wilbur Hall of Canton, and Charles Waddell of Ironton and Charles Hickox of Warren, both students at the University of Cincinnati.

Parents Of Local Woman Wed 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCullough of McDonald, Pa., parents of Mrs. Charles Cozard of Park ave., marked their 50th wedding anniversary with a delightful family gathering Sunday at their home.

Mrs. Cozard is their only daughter. Their four sons are:

Rex of Midway, Pa.; Lynn of Craffon Heights, Pa.; Wayne of Huston, Pa., and Jerry of Carmichael, Pa. They have eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Families of their children participated in the festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullough received many gifts, including flowers, and more than 80 greeting cards.

Mrs. McCullough was Laura McCracken before her marriage Dec. 23, 1899, at Alleppo, Pa. The couple have resided at McDonald most of their married life.

Gold Star Auxiliary Plans Tot Contest

A Tiny Tot Popularity contest was planned by members of Gold Star auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at the Tuesday evening session in the hall. Committee on arrangements included Mrs. Alfred August, Mrs. Clyde Risbeck, Mrs. Keith Dole and Mrs. Martin Reed.

Lunch committees for the next two Friday night dances include: Mrs. Robert Mileusnic, Mrs. Nick Hatzagen, Miss Deborah McGaffie, Miss Josephine McGaffie, Mrs. Clarence Means and Miss Melvina Thurber.

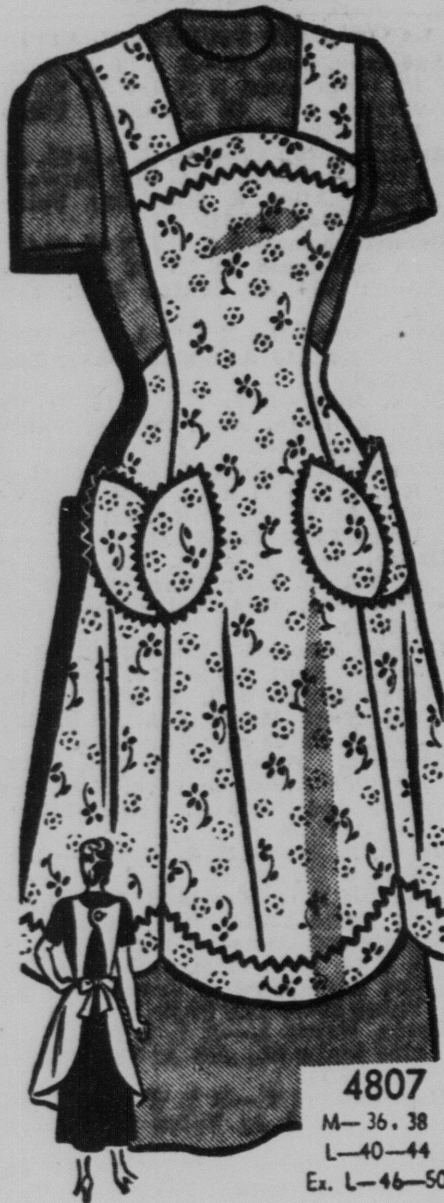
After their meetings, the post and auxiliary enjoyed a coverdish supper.

The auxiliary will meet again Jan. 9.

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E. F. Deagan, agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., who has completed 20 years of service, was honored at a Christmas dinner party given by his associates recently at Valley Golf

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Marriage Licenses

Charles R. Young, 21, cab driver, East Liverpool and Cleota Tackett, 19, waitress, Columbiana.

Donald David Hawksworth, 21, student, Wellsville, and Bernadine Mae Mekis, 18, clerk, East Liverpool.

James Howard Johnston, 22, finance employee, and Ila Mae McElhaney, 24, bookkeeper, East Liverpool.

Richard Douglas Simpson, 25, teacher, and Dorothy Frances Bryer, 25, stenographer, East Liverpool.

Charles Frederick Geer, 20, mill worker, and Pauline Mae Williamson, 16, Wellsville.

John Francis Ohler, 21, army, Carrollton and Loretta Marie Grimm, 22, potter, Salineville.

Charles Elmer Campbell, 26, potter, and Mary Belle Russell, 21, potter, Wellsville.

Wilfred Calvert Mellott, 24, truck driver, and Catherine Rose Limpose, 21, clerk, Salem.

William Charles Weikart, 20, laborer, Salem and Jacqueline Lois Block, 19, packer, Washingtonville.

Arthur Wilbur Clark, 24, steel worker, Toronto and Irene Phyllis Freeze, 24, clerk, Wellsville.

William Henry Emmerling, Jr., 20, mechanic, and Alice Louise Crowe, 19, telephone operator, East Liverpool.

Spinster Dinner Held For Miss Lucia Sharp

Concluding a series of pre-nuptial parties for the pleasure of Miss Lucia Hosmer Sharp, who will be married to George Harris Dexter at 7 p. m. Thursday in the Church of Our Saviour, Miss Gloria Gibson gave a spinster dinner Tuesday evening at her home, S. Lincoln ave.

The home was trimmed with pine and red candles in keeping with the Yule season.

The table was charmingly appointed in silver and red tones. It was centered with a Bohemian glass compote filled with silver balls. Red candles were in silver places. Places were laid for the bride's attendants and a few close friends.

Out of town guests were Miss Sue Shafer of Durham, N. H.; Mrs. Robert Englebrecht of Chicago; Mrs. Ford Fay Miskell of Shaker Heights and Mrs. James C. Britt of Worthington.

Preceding the dinner, the group were guests of Mrs. Robert Sampa-bell of S. Lincoln ave., at a cocktail party.

Miss Loretta Cocca's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Parlonter of E. Fifth st. announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Loretta Cocca, to Robert G. Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Wilkinson of Damascus.

A graduate of Salem High School, Miss Cocca is employed by the Ohio Mutual Insurance Co. Her fiancé graduated from Goshen Township High School and is an employee of the Mullins Mfg. Corp.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mounts and daughter, Sherry Anne, and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn White and son, Dennis, of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. William Berry and son, Paul, of Sebring were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elsie Mounts in Damascus. Master Sgt. and Mrs. Leonard Mounts of Cherry Point, N. C., who spent a few days with his mother, returned home Monday.

Pfc. Charles N. Spencer, son of Mrs. Leora Spencer of R. D. 2, Salem, stationed with Headquarters Company, 2nd Transportation Medium Port, 8th Army, Yokohama, has been promoted to corporal. A quartermaster clerk, Spencer entered the Army in 1943 and served previously with the 31st Infantry Division and the 6th Infantry Division in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Royston returned to their home in New Castle, Pa., Monday after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Sonnedecker, Cleveland st. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McConnell and sons, George, Robert and Donn, and Miss Mildred Sloane of Hubbard were Christmas Day guests at the Sonnedecker home.

Raymond Arner, teacher in the Westinghouse High School at Pittsburgh, is spending the holi-

days with his brother, Ralph, Beaver Creek, rd. His sister, Lucy, teacher in the Lisbon school, is also home for the holidays.

Mrs. Maxine Miller of E. State st. has this new address for her daughter, Dorothy. Pvt. Dorothy E. Miller, AA-8-204-579, 3741 WAF Ing. Sq. Lackland Air Force base, San Antonio, Tex.

Pfc. and Mrs. Herbert P. Mercer of 1204 First ave. at Craig Air Force base, Selma, Ala., are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Greenamyer, of W. Third st.

Miss June Wolford, who is attending Bob Jones University at Greenville, S. C., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wolford, of N. Ellsworth ave.

Miss Mariam Messersmith of Washington, D. C., spent Friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Messersmith, of Summit st. Miss Messersmith is food supervisor at the Statler Hotel there.

Mrs. Bertha Hahn of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hahn and sons, John and Michael, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs.

Raymond Hahn and son, Raymond Keith, of Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Helgren and daughter, Diana, of Moorehead, Mich., spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Hahn of E. Third st. Mrs. Bertha Hahn and Mr. and Mrs. Helgren and daughter will remain for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hawkins and daughter, Mary Ann, of Stony Creek, Va., are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Arch Harwood, of E. State st.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruffing and daughter, Kathy, of Kenton are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capel of N. Ellsworth ave. and Mrs. Mary Ruffing of N. Howard ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sarchet of Jennings ave. spent Christmas with their son, James Sarchet, and family in Sharon, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Edwards of Cleveland st. were in Pittsburgh for Christmas. They were guests of their son, Ted Edwards, and family.

Joe Rich of Steubenville is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Rich, of E. Fourth st.



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Teacher Entertains Stamp And Coin Club

J. O. Hagedorn entertained members of the High School Stamp and Coin Club Tuesday evening at his home, N. Ellsworth ave.

Mr. Hagedorn exhibited a part of his stamp collection during the informal evening. Mrs. Hagedorn served lunch.

K. of C. Completes Plans For New Year's Dance

Salem council, Knights of Columbus, are completing plans for

a New Year's dance next Saturday night in the K. of C. home. The dance is open to wives of the members and their guests.

The council will give a report on its benefit at 9 p. m. Thursday.

Choir To Rehearse

The Junior choir of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church will hold a rehearsal at 3:30 p. m. Thursday in the church. The choir will sing at the Sunday service.

Nulls Hold Party

Among the holiday parties was one given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Null and her brother, Robert McCulloch, at the Null home, N. Union ave., Monday afternoon. Guests were from Salem, Youngstown Alliance and Cleveland.

GINNY SIMMS HAS BABY HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 28—(AP)—Singer Ginny Simms is practicing some new lullabies. She became the mother yesterday of her second son. Miss Simms and her husband, Hyatt Dehn, architect, also are parents of David, three. The Dehns were married in July, 1945.

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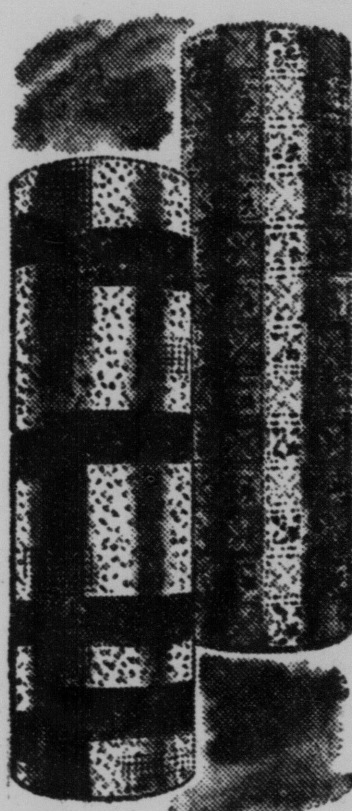
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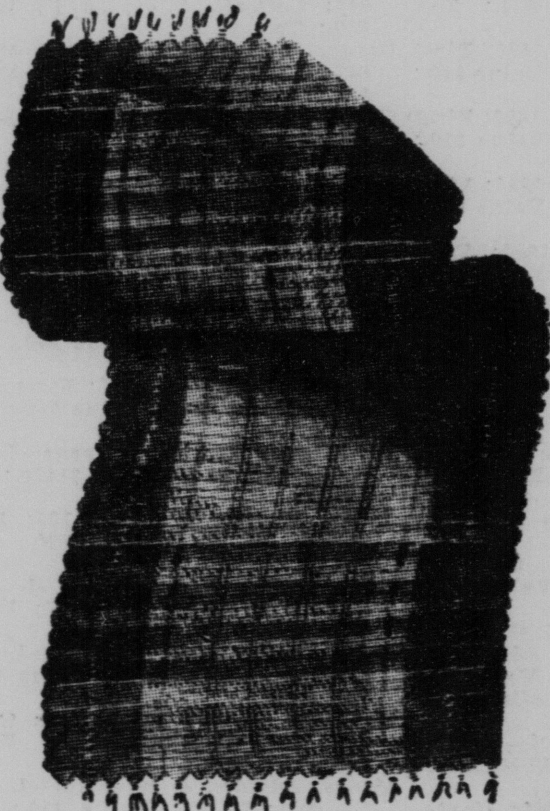
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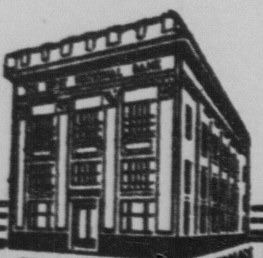
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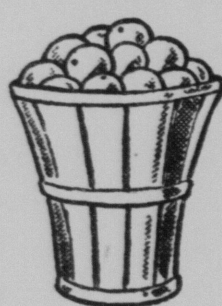


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Social Affairs

Miss Marjorie Brian Wed
To John C. Colson Tuesday

Attractive in a ballerina length champagne lace dress over taffeta, Miss Marjorie Brian became the bride of John C. Colson of South Bend, Ind., at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Brian, E. State st.

Robert Barton, minister of music at the First Baptist Church, offered a program of traditional wedding music preceding the double-ring ceremony performed by Rev. R. J. Hunter, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Only the families of the couple witnessed the service.

As the strains of The Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin were heard, the bride descended the stairs. During the service the bride party stood in front of the living room fireplace, which was banked with palms and ferns. White baby mums and pompons were combined with pine boughs in the beautiful large arrangement on the mantel.

The bride's dress was styled with a square neckline and cap sleeves. She wore a headdress of matching lace and carried pink carnations in a cascading bouquet.

Bridesmaids were Miss Brian's sisters, Barbara and Martha. They wore ballerina-length dresses of dark brown lace over champagne taffeta. Their dresses were designed with high round necklines and cap sleeves. They carried bouquets of yellow pompons and Talisman roses.

Leonard Deen of South Bend, Ind., was best man.

A buffet supper was served. A four-tiered wedding cake topped with an ornament was garnished with pine. White candles in silver completed the decorations.

The bride is a graduate of Salem High School. She attended Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pa., and graduated from Flora Stone Mather College, Cleveland.

Mr. Colson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Colson of South Bend, Ind. He is a senior at Ohio University, Athens. A war veteran, he served overseas.

For going away, the bride wore a black and white outfit and a corsage of carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Colson will reside at Athens.

Women Bowlers Have
Christmas Party

The Salem Woman's Bowling Association held its Christmas party recently at Oakdale Gardens, near Columbiana, with 140 members in attendance.

After a covetous dinner, Bowling Queen Carrie Slagle of Youngstown was crowned with a wreath of holly. She and her court were then presented roses. Roses were also given to each of the association officers.

Entertainment committee, headed by Betty Kyser, presented a one-act play, entitled, "That Christmas Play."

Dorothy Barrickman and Lera Bush of Salem sang solos, with Betty Hannick as the accompanist.

A special prize, a figurine made and donated by Marie Benton of East Palestine, was won by Bernice Mason of Lisbon.

While the group were singing, "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town," Santa Claus (Glady's Wilt) appeared and distributed gifts.

The room was beautifully decorated by Dorothy Brown of East Palestine and her committee. All the table decorations were made by the members of the East Palestine and Oakdale leagues. Katherine Brown of New Springfield was chairman of the kitchen committee.

The frightening Headless Horseman pursues Ichabod Crane in Walt Disney's "Ichabod and Mr. Toad" at the State theater tonight and Wednesday.

Tonight and Wednesday at the State, Walt Disney's technicolor legend, "The Adventures of Ichabod and Mr. Toad," is seen. The fortune of the beautiful Ka-first tale deals with the rivalry of the gangling schoolmaster, Ichabod Crane, and the brawny Brom Bones for the love and admiration of the beautiful Katrina. The other story has MacBadger, Mole and Walter Rat helping their friend, J. Thaddeus Toad, out of all the scrapes he finds in his search for adventure.

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Send 20 cents in coins for this pattern to The Salem News, 348 Needlecraft Dept., P. O. Box 169, Old Chelsea Station, New York 11, N. Y. Print plainly pattern number, your name, and address.

Church Of God Sunday
School Re-Elects Head

Vernon R. Weingart was re-elected superintendent of the Church of God Sunday School at the Christmas morning session.

Other officers are: Assistant Superintendent, Albert Kent; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Robert Mayhew; assistant secretary-treasurer, Miss Verla Weinart; organists, Mrs. Clell Riffle, Miss Verla Weinart, Miss Nancy Stamp and Miss Martha Miller.

A gift exchange and dinner were featured when the Doce Gatos held their annual Christmas party last week in the Blue Room, Metzger Hotel.

Mrs. Shirley Colazzi, Mrs. Jo Seckley, Mrs. Janice Parschal, Miss Marge King and Miss Maria Olsen, former members, were guests.

Later the girls went to the home of Barbara McCarty, E. Fifth st., for a social time.

CHOIR TO HOLD SUPPER
Members of the Christian Church choir will meet at the church at 6:15 p. m. Thursday for a covetous supper.

Bake pumpkin pie filling in custard cups for the small members of the family. Top with a little whipped evaporated milk and a cherry.

At The Theaters
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"Holiday Affair" at the State Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Robert Mitchell and Janet Leigh are the stars.

"Range Justice" at the Grand Friday and Saturday finds John Mack Brown bringing criminals to justice to save a ranch from the evil of the law. The other film is "Blondie Hits the Jackpot" and Dagwood is more contented than ever when he works as a laborer on a construction job. Chapter 15 of the serial, "Batman and Robin the Boy Wonder," accompanies the double feature.

Reveal Engagement
Of Ruth Ann Saffell

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Saffell of North Georgetown of the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Ann, to Harold W. Jasnau, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jasnau of Attica, N. Y.

The couple have planned their wedding for next summer.

Miss Saffell and her fiancé are students at Wittenberg College, Springfield. She is a junior, majoring in business administration and a member of Kappa Delta Sorority. He is a senior majoring in sociology and will graduate in January. He is affiliated with Phi Mu Delta Fraternity.

Each guest received a miniature basket filled with candy, a popcorn ball and a candy cane. Guests were from Salem, New Waterford and Columbiana.

The Cookbook
By GAYNOR MADDOX

Crackers Make Fine Pie Shells

By GAYNOR MADDOX

MANY readers have asked for recipes for pie shells made from crackers and cookies. Here are three, each failure-proof and time-saving.

Each includes a suggestion for the pie filling. However, most gelatin or cooked cream fillings go well with any of the cracker and cookie pie shells.

Vanilla Wafer Pie Shell

(Makes one 9-inch pie shell)

One and one-half cups vanilla wafer crumbs, ¼ cup sugar, 1 tablespoon grated lemon rind, 1/3 cup butter or fortified margarine, melted.

Combine vanilla wafer crumbs, sugar, lemon rind and butter; blend well. Press firmly onto bottom and sides of a greased 9-inch pie plate. Chill for one to two hours before filling. If desired, use a vanilla cream or coconut chiffon filling.

Chocolate Nugget Pie Shell

(Makes one 9-inch pie shell)

Eighteen crushed chocolate nugget cookies, 2 tablespoons sugar, ¼ teaspoon cinnamon, 2

tablespoons melted butter or fortified margarine, 18 whole chocolate nugget cookies.

Combine chocolate nugget cookie crumbs, sugar, cinnamon and butter; blend well. Press firmly onto bottom of a greased 9-inch pie plate. Stand whole cookies around sides of pie plate. Chill in refrigerator at least one hour before filling. If desired, use a vanilla cream or coconut chiffon filling.

Walnut Graham Pie Shell

(Makes one 9-inch pie shell)

One cup crushed sugar-honey graham crackers, ½ cup finely ground walnuts, 2 tablespoons sugar, 7 tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, melted.

Combine graham cracker crumbs, ground walnuts, sugar and melted butter; blend well. Press firmly onto bottom and sides of a greased 9-inch pie plate. Bake in a moderate oven (325 degrees F.) about 10 minutes. Cool before filling. If desired, use a banana cream or a coffee chiffon filling.

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Delinquent Land Tax Notice

The lands, lots and parts of lots returned delinquent by the treasurer of Columbiana county, with the taxes, assessments and penalties, charged thereon agreeably to law, are contained and described in the following list:

CODE

(R)-RANGE

(T)-TOWNSHIP

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LAND-LIVERPOOL TOWNSHIP

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Birthday Party Given
For Janice Schory

Mrs. Earl A. Schory delightedly entertained 12 children Friday afternoon at her home, E. State st., to celebrate the fourth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Janice.

Game prizes were won by David Birchall, Milton and Leo Marple, Joyce Jensen, Sharon and Bobby Ehrhart, Mary Frances Gerard and Susan Schory.

Janice was the recipient of gifts. A birthday cake was served with the refreshments. A decorated miniature Christmas tree graced the table.

Each guest received a miniature basket filled with candy, a popcorn ball and a candy cane. Guests were from Salem, New Waterford and Columbiana.

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Cancer Study Shows Fungi

Growths Are Same That Grow In Soil

BY HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
AP Science Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—Discovery of fungi, tiny invisible plants, growing in cancers was announced to the American Association for the Advancement of Science today.

The discovery is one of the most startling of this century. The cancer fungi are the same that grow all around us, in soil, food, plants and trees.

They have been found in every cancer tested. The tests embraced 20 human cancers, including four different kinds, and 100 mice cancers.

The fungi never have been found in any healthy tissue, with one exception. They show in breasts of those species on female mice which are susceptible to breast cancer.

The discovery was reported by Dr. Irene Corey Diller of the Institute for Cancer Research, Philadelphia. She is one of the major research contributors to the American Cancer Society.

Dr. Diller showed enlarged pictures of the fungi. One is a black fungus, common in soil and milk products, named *Alternaria*. Another is grey, common in the

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NEWEST EINSTEIN THEORY UNVEILED—The four equations, above, are the heart of the new "Generalized Theory of Gravitation," developed by physicist Albert Einstein at Princeton, N. J. The theory may make possible a new source of energy more powerful than atomic energy, and a means of traveling through space to distant planets by reversing the action of gravity. For 30 years, the 70-year-old Einstein has been seeking a unified field theory which would combine the laws of gravity and the laws of electricity in one set of mathematical equations. But he admits he cannot be certain that his new theory is correct until physical tests are devised for it.

tropics, known as *syncephalotrum racemosum*. Dr. Diller said that how this tropical form got into Philadelphia cancers is a mystery.

There are also some common yeast fungi not yet identified. Dr. Diller cautioned against accepting results so far as proof that fungi cause cancer.

"A great deal more work must be done," she said. "A single research group could spend years exhausting the implications of these findings. To millions of Americans cancer research is a matter of tragic urgency."

ADD TO PLANT
WILLARD, Dec. 28—(AP)—Work on a \$120,000 addition to the municipal water and light plant here started this week. The addition will house a new 2,500-kilowatt generator which will cost \$250,000. The improvement program will be financed from the utility's revenue.

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Stock Exchange Price Movements Inconclusive Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—Price movements were inconclusive at the opening of the stock market today.

Gains just about balanced losses, with changes either way limited to ½ point or less in most cases.

Higher prices were paid for Du Pont, American Can, Southern Railway, Bethlehem Steel, Chrysler, Studebaker, Standard Oil (NJ), J. I. Case, and American Smelting.

On the losing side were Anaconda Copper, Union Pacific, United Aircraft, U. S. Rubber, Southern Pacific, Montgomery Ward, Texas Co., Sears Roebuck, and U. S. Steel.

Damascus Livestock

Hogs—Receipts 238 head. 140-180 \$16.50-\$17.75. 180-240 \$17.25-\$17.75. 240-300 \$16.00-\$17.25. Sows \$11.00-\$14.00.

Calves—Receipts 228 head. Choice \$32.00-\$34.00, good \$30.00-\$32.00, medium \$26.00-\$30.00, Corn \$17.00-\$26.00.

Cattle—Receipts 124 head. Steers, medium \$22.00-\$24.75, com. \$19.00-\$22.00.

Heifers—medium \$20.00-\$23.50, com. \$16.00-\$20.00.

Cows—choice \$16.00-\$17.50, good, \$14.50-\$16.00, med. \$12.00-\$14.50, com. \$10.00-\$12.00.

Bulls—Butcher \$18.00-\$21.50, bologna \$16.50-\$20.00.

Cleveland Produce
Eggs, U.S. consumer grade in cases (jobbing prices): Large A

white, 42-43; brown, 40-41; medium A white, 37-39; brown, 35-38; large B white, 37-38; brown, 37.

Wholesale egg grades (prices f.o.b. Cleveland market): Cases included: Large (minimum 60 per cent A quality) extras white 34-38; brown 30-33½; extras medium white 28-29; brown 27-28.

Live poultry prices (f.o.b. Cleveland market): Hens, heavy types, 25-27; hens, light types, 19-20; fryers and broilers, heavy types 27-28; roasters, 32-33; stags, 23-25; old roosters, 17-18; ducks, 30-32.

Hen turkeys, 45-50; tom turkeys, 30-35; capons, 50-55.

"All The King's Men" Rated Best By Critics

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—New York film critics have voted "All The King's Men" the best motion picture of 1949.

Other best-citations, voted yesterday by the group of 17 film critics of New York metropolitan daily newspapers, included:

Best actress—Olivia De Havilland (for the second successive year), for her portrayal of the title role in "The Heiress."

Best actor—Broderick Crawford, for his role in "All The King's Men."

Best director—Carol Reed, for his direction of the British film, "The Fallen Idol."

Best foreign language picture—"The Bicycle Thief," an Italian film.

TRADES CLASSES IDLE
Trade Extension class pupils will have an extended vacation until Jan. 5. Supervisor Holland Cameron said today no classes will be held until next Thursday.

Deaths and Funerals

Segesman Funeral

Funeral service for LeRoy T. Segesman of 357 W. Fifth st. will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the Stark Memorial. Rev. George Keister will officiate. Burial will be in Grandview Cemetery. Friends may call at the Memorial Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Joseph Day

LISBON, Dec. 28—Mrs. Hattie M. Day, 76, of East Lincoln Way, died Tuesday evening in University Hospital, Columbus, where she had been a patient since Nov. 16.

She was born in Center Township Feb. 14, 1873, the daughter of James and Samantha Deemer Randolph. She spent most of her life in Lisbon and vicinity, attending the Christian Church here. She was a member of the Daughters of America and Pythian Sisters.

She was the widow of Joseph Day, who died in May, 1947. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Bessie Lipe of Lisbon; a brother, Perry Randolph of New Kensington, Pa.

Funeral service will be held at the Eells-Leggett funeral home at 2 p. m. Friday, in charge of Rev. C. W. Houston. Burial will be in Lisbon cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening.

Winston Churchill

"Man Of Half Century"

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—Winston Churchill—Time magazine editors say—is the "man of the half-century."

The portrait of the wartime British prime minister by American artist Ernest Hamlin is on the cover of the Jan. 2 Time which contains a 16-page supplement "the half-century."

Describing the British leader as "one of the half-century's greater politicians," Time says: "Sometimes wrong, often right, he fought his way toward the heart of every storm."

Times Says Dewey Won't Seek Re-Election In 1950

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—The New York Times today said it is likely Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will retire temporarily from public life at the end of his present term as governor of New York.

Warren Moscow, 'political writer for The Times, said there are indications that Dewey will not be a candidate for governor in 1950 or for President in 1952, but may come back into the presidential race in 1956 and 1960.

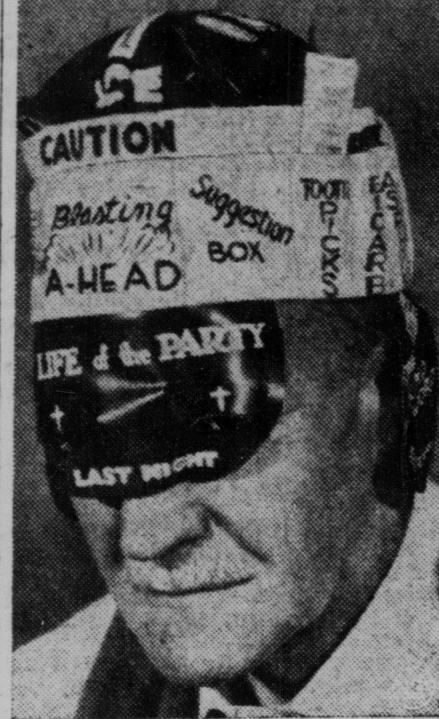
Dewey would be only 54 years old in 1956.

SEEK ROBBERS

CLEVELAND, Dec. 28—(AP)—A police search was on today for a late-model Cadillac sedan identified as the get-away car used by two gunmen in a \$1,160 payroll robbery of Kinsman Square Chevrolet, Inc. John F. Telescan, business manager of the firm, said the men held him up yesterday just as he returned from a bank.

REPORTS COAT STOLEN

Margaret J. Smith of 671 W. Pershing st., a waitress at the Stark Transit terminal, told police a girl stole her green coat from the rack in the terminal at about 5:22 p. m. Tuesday. The coat was valued at \$30.



MORNING-AFTER HAT—Here's a hat to help cure that dull, aching-all-over feeling that sometimes comes right after New Year's Eve. Top of the hangover hat is a cool, cool ice bag. You don't want to see? The hat's got an eyeshield. Don't want to hear? It's got ear flaps. Don't want to ache? It's got side pockets for assorted pain-killers. Don't want to live? It's got a pocket labeled "cyanide."

Hospital Reports

CITY

Patients newly admitted for tonsillectomy: Barbara Wilson of Hanoverton. Mrs. Ira Sickle of Diamond. Donna Lee Schoss of 1293 Maple st.

Patients newly admitted for medical treatment: Bernice Pauley of East Palestine.

Robert Lees of Pittsburgh. Mrs. C. W. Griswold of Columbiana.

Henry Lieder of 355 W. Sevenths st.

Mrs. Robert Dusenberry of Washingtonville.

Patients newly admitted for surgical treatment: Ray Mercer of 274 W. Fifth st. Richard O'Horo of Youngstown.

Evelyn Brubaker of Beloit. Glenn Newcomer of East Palestine.

Ralph Williams of R. D. 5, Salem.

Samuel T. Harmon of Deerfield.

Clarence Miller of 410 Perry st.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. Edward Pew (and son) of R. D. 1, Diamond.

Mrs. William Golitic (and son) of East Palestine.

Paul Gasper of Berlin Center. William Knoedler of R. D. 1, Salem.

Beverly Coalmer of Columbiana.

Norman Black of Cannelton, Pa.

David St. Clair of Canfield.

CENTRAL CLINIC
Patients dismissed: Lorenzo C. Buckley of Lisbon.

Mrs. Howard McFadden (and daughter) of R. D. 3, Salem.

Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Breckenridge of Sebring.

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Electrical Union Hearing Closes

NLRB To Decide If Election Is Needed

DAYTON, Dec. 28—(AP)—A National Labor Relations Board hearing on whether workers in five plants of the General Motors electrical division should hold a collective bargaining election may end today.

The CIO's new International Union of Electrical Workers (IUE) has petitioned the NLRB for such an election. The United Electrical Workers (UE) claims no election can be held until March 15, when the UE contract with the five GM plants expires.

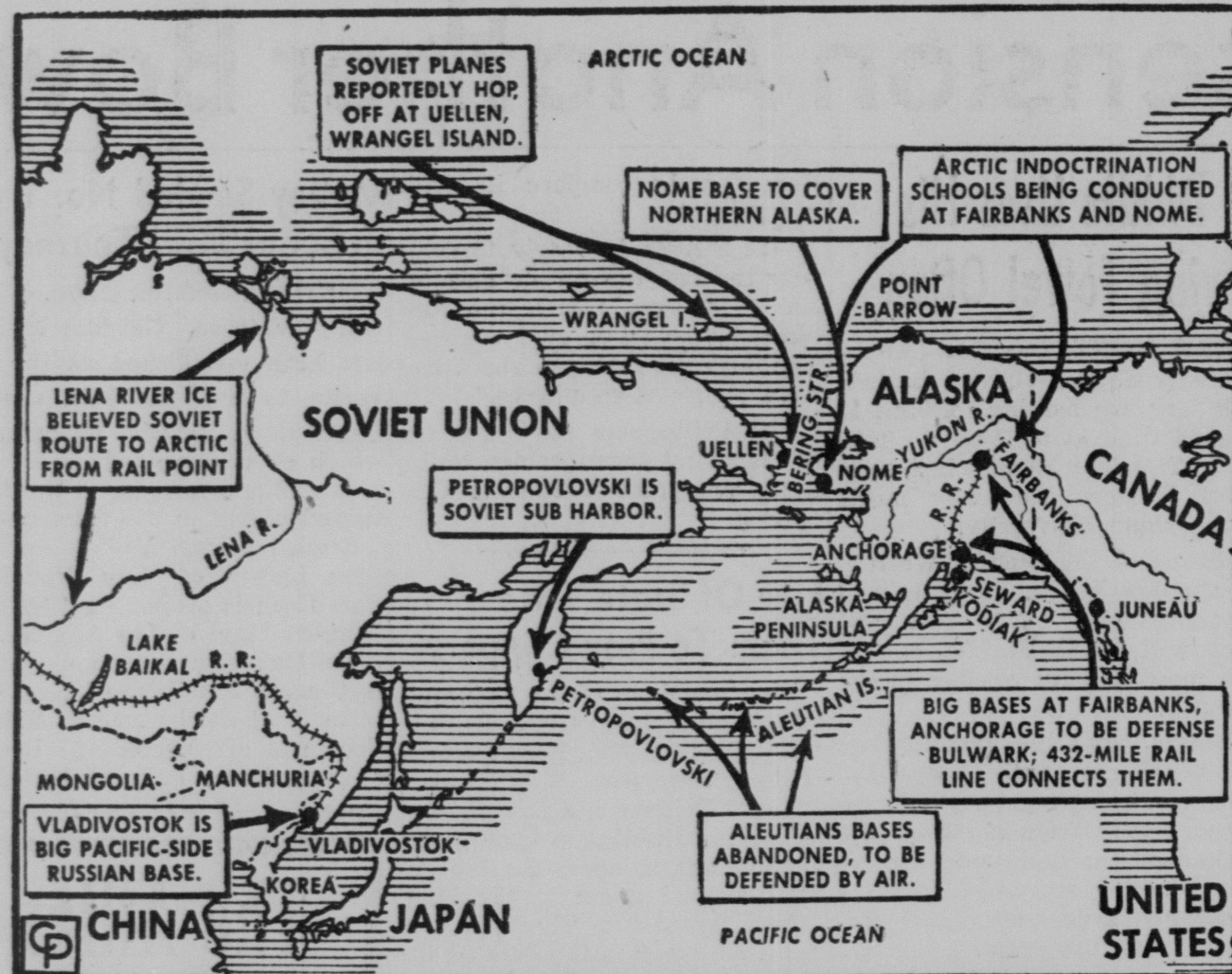
The CIO expelled the UE at its recent national convention and former the IUE. The UE now is an independent union.

Yesterday seven witnesses for the UE testified that some voters were intimidated during an election in which Dayton Local 801 (Frigidaire) voted to join the IUE. The local claims a membership of some 10,500.

One of the witnesses, Mrs. Pearl Hupman, said pickets "yelled Communists and bood" when she tried to enter the local's headquarters to vote.

"I got hit in the side and somebody jerked me down the steps to the sidewalk before the cops came," she told David Sachs, NLRB trial examiner.

The other six UE witnesses of-



PENTAGON PLANS for defense of Alaska center mainly on two big bases, Anchorage and Fairbanks, and embrace details in the making since end of World War II. Supporting the plans are a \$70 million fund for housing and \$31.2 million for a radar wall to warn of attack. While all this is going on the Russians are feverishly building up their own bastions across strait in Siberia, reports indicate.

ferred similar testimony.

Robert Eisner, president of Local 801-IUE, earlier testified that only four votes were cast against leaving the UE.

Let Them Peek, Professor Believes

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—Professor Jacob Verduin wants to let science students open their books during examinations.

Memory tests with closed books don't test a student's ability to use information, Dr. Verduin told the American Association for the advancement of Science yesterday.

"A student who is going to use facts should never trust so faulty a source as a memory to provide them," said Dr. Verduin. "He should learn where to find the facts, for ability to find information is an important skill."

Dr. Verduin is associate professor of plant physiology of the Franz Theodore Stone laboratory of Ohio State University at Put-In-Bay, O.

Students, said Dr. Verduin, should learn to use facts. An open-book test can be designed to encourage this, said the Ohio State professor.

"You're more likely to remember facts that you use a few times," he added.

Open-book tests, he said, show students can be graded accurately on their knowledge and ability. Good students, knowing they wouldn't be graded only on memory, were stimulated to broader study, Dr. Verduin explained.

Firestone Earnings Less Than 1948 Figure

AKRON, Dec. 28—(AP)—The Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. earned a net income of \$17,823,621 in 1949 after providing for all expenses and a reserve of \$5,169,652, its annual report yesterday showed.

The reserve is to cover foreign

earnings which cannot now be re-mitted.

The net was \$9,850,723 less than that of last year.

Firestone reported a net of \$27,674,344, after providing for all expenses and adding \$4,000,000 to a reserve for contingencies, at the close of its 1948 fiscal year.

The 1949 earnings are equal to \$8.81 per share of common stock, compared to \$12.83 a share for 1948.

Ohio Girl Encourages Betty Lou Marbury

WILLOUGHBY, Dec. 28—(AP)—"Please tell Betty Lou Marbury for me not to be afraid," said 12-year-old Phyllis Detweiler today. "In a few weeks she'll be back in school and doing things as she used to do."

Phyllis has a particular interest in Betty Lou's case. Betty Lou is the 10-year-old Memphis, Tenn., girl who must have her right hand amputated.

Like Betty Lou, Phyllis was the victim of a cancerous bone growth. In July, 1947, her right arm was amputated just below the elbow.

"I was back in school in September after my operation and didn't miss a day," she said. "Tell Betty Lou she will be able to do that, too. I have learned to write with my left hand and I can draw and paint now, too."

Phyllis is the daughter of

Isaiah and Ruby Detweiler. She is in the seventh grade at Longfellow school in Willoughby township.

She said she planned to write Betty Lou a letter today. She said a prayer last night for the Memphis girl.

Minors To Decide Soon On Bonus Rule

COLUMBUS, Dec. 28—(AP)—The National Association of Professional Leagues (the minors) will know within two weeks whether its members want to keep or repeal the bonus rule.

The three-year-old rule limits the money a player may earn for his first year in organized base-

ball. It was repealed two weeks ago by the major leagues.

Yesterday the minors organization mailed ballots on the question to 444 teams in 59 leagues. They must be returned within 15 days.

Under the bonus rule, a first-year player signed to a major league, AAA or AA club is limited to \$6,000 in annual pay. New players in a Class A league can get a maximum of \$4,500, and those in Class B, C, or D leagues \$3,000.

He can receive more if he is listed as a bonus player. But as such he must be brought up to the league by which he is signed at the end of his first year, or be

subject to drafting by other clubs.

Young players can bargain for best contracts possible for their first year if the bonus rule is repealed. They may be signed to option contracts or may be offered for waivers and the offers withdrawn if the wrong club asks waivers.

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Here's The Pitch

By BOB DIXON

Fred Cope, Salem High's always harassed faculty manager, quickly exploded our opinion that this double-double-header scholastic cage carnival coming up Thursday and Friday nights on the local hardwood is a routine affair.

"Do you realize," he screamed, "that it took us from May until Oct. 19 to arrange this thing?"

Having no such realization, we said as much.

"Well, it did," the master of S. H. S. sports activities came back. Then followed the story, which goes something like this:

The four games, it appears, had to be passed on and OK'd by everybody in authority short of the U. S. Supreme court. First of all, F. E. contacted the three schools in question—Pittsburgh Westinghouse, Dayton Roosevelt and Cleveland Garfield Heights. They each agreed to appear, Garfield being influenced by Wilbur Springer, superintendent of Bay Village schools, former principal at Salem High.

Then, he went to H. M. Emswiler, commissioner of the Ohio High School Athletic association, for approval. After thrashing it out with the commissioner, Cope learned that the games could not be called a "tournament," because only the state association is permitted to hold tournaments. Emswiler didn't even like the title "cage carnival" too well and wanted it called an "exhibition." Cope rebelled at the last, feeling it sounded too much like a wrestling match, and so they compromised on the carnival tag.

After that Emswiler went to work in Salem's behalf and contacted the Pennsylvania scholastic commissioner in Harrisburg, who OK'd the participation of the Westinghouse team.

Because of the inter-state implications of the carnival, H. V. Porter, czar of the National Federation of High Schools in Chicago, was called in. He sat on his hands until Oct. 19, when he finally gave in and gave the affair his pontifical blessing. With it came another admonition NOT to call the series of games a tournament.

(It is firmly established, we might interject, that we are not to watch a TOURNAMENT here this week.)

With Porter's blessing on his desk, Cope unlocked his door to the newshounds and allowed word of his project to reach the waiting world. Now you know all.

Finishing his tale of horror, Cope added a few more choice bits of information regarding the tourna... ops... cage carnival. Numerically, they are:

1. Officials for the games are three of the best in northeastern Ohio. John Russ, who has worked several state tournaments, Joe Check, both of Youngstown, and Irwin Shopbell of Canton will handle the whistles. There can be no criticism of that lineup.

2. The three teams are to arrive in Salem at about 4 p. m. Thursday. Pittsburgh and Garfield Heights will house their athletes in the Lape hotel, with the Dayton squad stopping at an Alliance inn. Johnny Maxwell, faculty manager of Dayton Roosevelt, is a former Alliance High athlete. He leaped at the chance to bring the team up here during the holiday season, when he can visit his family.

3. All three teams will stay overnight. Friday, Salem High school has arranged an attractive program for the visiting cagers. After the Friday games the boys from all four teams will be guests of honor at a teen-age dance at the Elks home, the affair being co-sponsored by the Elks and the school. Glen Jackson's band will make with the music. Cope and Ed Cornany, dance chairman, are in charge.

4. At 1:30 Friday afternoon, Nat Walken, the theatre entrepreneur, will play host to the teams at the State theatre. He'll show some basketball shorts along with the feature film.

In addition to all this, the teams will also play some basketball, if they can find time. Looks like a big week.

North Carolina Underdog In Cotton Bowl Battle

DALLAS, Dec. 28 — (AP) — North Carolina's Tar Heels come to town today to give Dallas Cotton Bowl fever.

Coach Carl Snavely and 53 footballers fly in this afternoon in time for a work-out. They'll be told immediately that they're going to be underdogs in next Monday's Cotton Bowl battle with Rice, but that's nothing new. The Tar Heels are accustomed to taking beatings in bowl games—they've tried two in the last four years and lost both.

Meanwhile, Rice will be at it hot and heavy in practice at Houston. The Owls don't come to Dallas until Sunday, making a leisurely train trip.

There'll be quite a reception

at the airport this afternoon when North Carolina's squad arrives. Southern Methodist University co-eds will distribute 10-gallon hats to the Tar Heels. The Highland Park High school band will play, then a police escort will take the football squad to Dal-Hi stadium for its first work-out on Dallas soil.

It's all old stuff for eight members of the North Carolina squad. Three of them played in the 1947 Sugar Bowl game against Georgia and those three plus five others appeared in the 1949 Sugar Bowl game against Oklahoma.

But when it comes to bowl experience, just consider Rice. Eight of the men on this year's Owl squad played in the 1947 Orange Bowl game when Rice beat Tennessee.

Ohio State Dissension Another Bowl Rumor

Rose Contest Has Had Others

Northwestern, Illinois Had Their Own Stories

PASADENNA, Cal., Dec. 28—(AP)—This Rose Bowl football enterprise is serious business. A little on the severe side as befits its age as the grandfather of all the bowl contests.

But don't think it hasn't had its funnier moments, some of them behind the scenes, and if things keep on as they have in the past, the Rose Bowl might even lose some of its dignity.

There are times leading up to the game, you see, when things actually get pretty dull. The players wander around their hotel lobbies, exchanging whispers about whatever players whisper about, and little excitement can be generated about a routine blocking drill on the practice field.

That's when the warning signal should be hoisted, for inevitably that's when some playful pixie gets out of his cage and begins to chew away at the carpets.

There was the time a few years ago, it may now be told, when this wild pixie got loose and before anyone could even call the cops there was a thick thud, a grapple in the semi-darkness of a hallway and one of the Huntington hotel's nicest chairs was broken when it was struck by a head.

The head belong to the official family of one of the schools—charity even to this day declines to further identify the head—but for a time the situation was grave and yet hilarious. Fractured chairs just don't belong in the distinguished history of the Rose Bowl.

Already this year, with Ohio State and California plugging away for the game Jan. 2, the Rose Bowl scene has been stirred by (1) a report the Wes Fesler had quit as Buckeye coach, and

(2) the Buckeye squad was torn asunder by dissension.

Fesler may well resign after next Monday but he was still on deck today—and still unhappy about the premature report of his coaching demise.

As for the dissension, that stirred up quite a few souls, including the Buckeyes' athletic director, Mr. Dick Larkins. It may be disclosed that Mr. Larkins was forced to step into a cold room out of a hot shower bath at an early hour to answer the phone and deny the rumor. It is very likely that Mr. Larkins was not as mad about the rumor as he was about denying the rumor while dripping wet.

There was the time before the 1947 game when Ray Eliot did have to dispatch two of his Illinois players home because they seemed to have missed the last street car home at dawn one morning, and just last December one Hollywood report pictured fullback Art Murakowski leaving by the back door of Ciro's just as Northwestern coach Bob Voights entered the front way.

This provided the setting for a fine rhabarb and the only trouble was that it must have been two other gentlemen leaving by opposite doors at Ciro's. If it was Murakowski, though, all coaches should send their boys to Ciro's. The fullback had quite a day in the Rose Bowl.

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Ed Diddle Uses His Crying Towel Often

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—Madison Square Garden basketball fans are looking forward to a good time as well as a good game Thursday night when powerful Western Kentucky meets Long Island University.

Sitting at the head of Western Kentucky's bench, groaning and moaning with every pass and shot will be Ed Diddle, one of the most colorful coaches in the country.

Diddle, with his gyrations on the bench, constantly keeps the fans wondering what prevents his blood vessels from bursting. He is known far and wide for his towel-tossing act which is not a show but a nervous habit acquired over the years.

When a beautiful play clicks or when the boys score a much needed basket, Diddle may toss his red towel, which has become his trademark, to the rafter or beat the floor with it in wild jubilation.

In moments of depression he has been known to try and ram the whole towel down his throat or bury his head in it and cry like a baby.

Since taking over at Western in 1922, the fiery mentor has won 488 games and lost 163 for a .750 average. His Hilltoppers won 25 and lost four last year.

What about this year's squad?

How does he compare it with last year's?

"It's a little too early to compare the two teams," he answered. "However, this is the runningest bunch I've ever coached. The boys are fast, can shoot and have plenty of endurance."

The Hilltoppers have won six of their first seven games, losing by a one-point margin to Cincinnati.

Five Of State Title Team To Play Clippers

Five members of the Columbian High School Class B state champions of '47, Lee Thomas, Richard Berryman, Dick Perkins, Richard Reinher and Sam Prizant will be in the lineup against the Columbian Clippers for the annual alumni game in the High school gymnasium, Thursday evening. An error in the date on the tickets caused the game to be erroneously announced for Friday evening.

Others included in the alumni team will be Howard Gustafson, '48, and Duane Poulton and Jim Hum, '49.

For a number of years the Columbian Kiwanis Club has sponsored this annual event for the benefit of its fund for underprivileged children.

Steve Van Buren of the Philadelphia Eagles led National Football League ground-gainers in 1949 for the third straight season.

Mulloy Seeded No. 1 In Sugar Bowl Tourney

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 28—(AP)—Veteran Gardnar Mulloy has been established as the favorite to win the 12th annual Sugar Bowl tennis tournament which opens here today.

The Miami net star is the first seeded player in the tournament. Seeded behind Mulloy are Arthur Larsen of San Francisco, Earl Cochell of Los Angeles, and Herbert Flam of Los Angeles.

Mulloy's first round opponent is Vincent Distefano of New Orleans. Cochell meets Sidney Schwartz of Brooklyn, Larsen engages Steve Potts of Memphis

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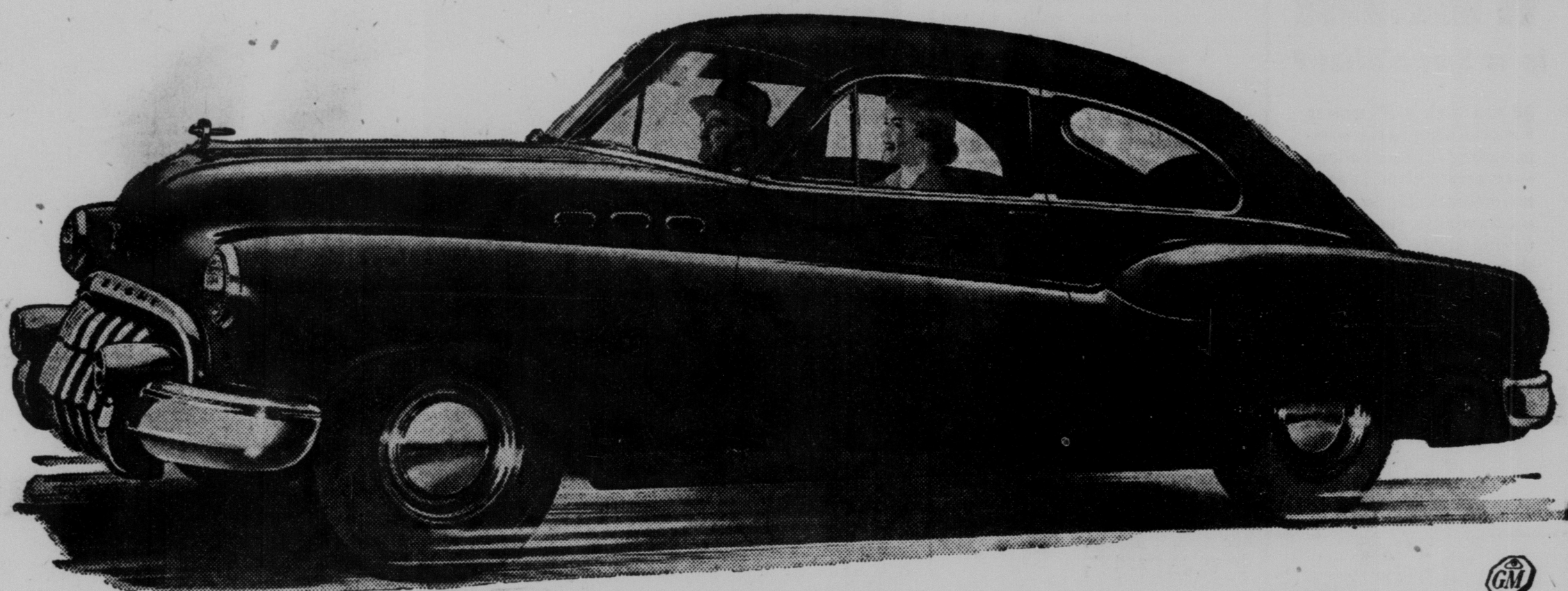
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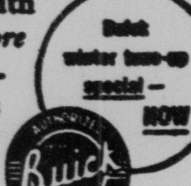
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Three years ago—The Southern All-Stars defeated the Northern Stars, 20-13, in Blue-Gray football game at Montgomery, Ala.

Five years ago—Maurice Richard set a National Hockey league scoring record of five goals and three assists in Montreal's 9-1 victory over Detroit.

Ten years ago—The New York Giants sent Alex Kampouris and Tom Padden to Newark in exchange for second baseman Mickey Witke.

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LOS ANGELES, Dec. 28—(AP)—The years have not dealt kindly with ol' Pete Alexander, but the great pitcher never was a man to ask quarter.

And—ask the men who played against him—he never gave much, either.

The long, raw-boned Nebraskan who won 373 games in a 20-year National league career may be near the end of the biggest game of all. He's pitching against a cancer that already has taken one ear and virtually deafened him.

His words come haltingly from his County General hospital bed. Doctors here have yet to report their final diagnosis, but the cancer—says his divorced wife, Amy—stems from sun irritation on his fair skin during his long playing career.

Nearing 63, ol' Pete—Grover Cleveland Alexander in the record books—would prefer to forget about most of the last 20 years. Much of it, especially with poor health in recent years, has not been pleasant.

Baseball is still foremost in his mind. Answering questions which had to be written for him, because of his failing hearing, Pete told this interviewer:

"When I get out of here, I'd like to get the chance to work with youngsters and help them get along in the game.

He's got a way with kids. He helped hundreds of them in a recent baseball school here. His ex-wife, who keeps in close touch, says that there are a 100 letters and cards for him at his little apartment.

The instructing job is the only one he has been able to take on since he came to Southern California from St. Louis two years ago. For the last decade, Alex has bounced around from one odd job to another.

"I think I've only seen five big league games since I left the majors," he said in answer to one question. He wasn't even offered a minor league manager's job. He wound up managing and pitching for the House of David team from 1935 to 1938.

That last year the nabobs finally got around to voting ol' Pete into the Hall of Fame.

From 1911 through 1930, Alex's

strong right arm worked for the Phillies, the Cubs and the Cardinals. In his freshman year, he won 28 games. He won 30 or more games in three straight years, 1915-17, for the Phillies. In 1915 he set the National league record with a 1.22 earned run average; in 1916, 16 of his 33 victories were shutouts.

"My top salary in baseball was \$10,000 with St. Louis," ol' Pete said without malice. He started with the Phillies for \$1500 and was boosted to \$2,000 after winning 28.

While never making big money, Alex undoubtedly realized a substantial total from baseball. But it's all gone.

Ol' Pete, much too proud to say he's broke, conceded that he has no property or real estate holdings anywhere.

"But I did own my home once," he said.

Wilkinson Worries About His Sooners

BILOXI, Miss., Dec. 28—(AP)—"All year my boys have thought they were better than they are," Coach Bud Wilkinson unburdened today as his Oklahoma football team re-opened practice for the Sugar Bowl.

"I wish they would either stop that or get better," Wilkinson said.

The words tolled the familiar tones of the mourning bell reserved for coaches' pre-game dirges, but Wilkinson was deadpan sincerity personified.

Oklahoma, the nation's No. 2 team, meets Louisiana State University Monday in New Orleans.

After a week's layoff from practice Wilkinson woners and Oklahoma?

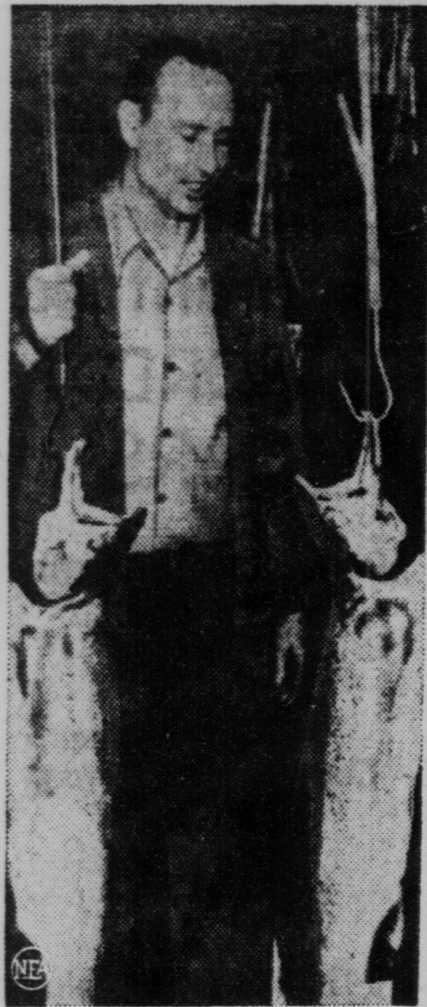
condition.

Other worries which plague him are:

Whether the novelty of playing in bowls has worn off. This is Oklahoma's second consecutive Sugar Bowl invitation;

Will the honor of playing in a bowl make L. S. U. too eager to handle?

Will L. S. U. take advantage of



Steelmaking Due At High Level

Iron Age Predicts Good 3 Month Pace

NEW YORK, Dec. 28—(AP)—High level steelmaking operations, at 85 to 95 per cent of capacity, will continue through March, The Iron Age, metalworking trade weekly said today.

Operations in the current holiday-shortened week were placed by the publication at 85.5 per cent.

Prediction of high output through March, said The Iron Age, "is based in part on the fact that automobile manufacturers are optimistic about the immediate future, see good business ahead for at least six months."

"For this reason, flat rolled steel will continue in strong demand for the first quarter of 1950, for it is during this period that the automobile industry expects to set production records, expects March to be a record for all time."

The paper cited as "other bright business prospects on the horizon as the year ends" the following: Tremendous public works plans, continued heavy buying by utilities, new road building programs, high level of housing construction, and good prospects for office buildings.

The steel industry winds up 1949 with total production very close to 77,500,000 net tons of ingots and steel for castings, The Iron Age reported, while finished steel shipments will exceed 57,000,000 net tons.

This, it noted, was not a record year but was 14 million tons better than the boom year of 1929.

HOME FREE—This must be one reason why Joe Gordon would quit the Cleveland Indians for the Pacific Coast league, so he could be near home. The famous second baseman exhibits a pair of brute steelhead trout in his Eugene, Ore., hardware store. He caught them in the nearby McKenzie River.

a psychological edge in being the underdog and try harder than Oklahoma;

And do Oklahoma players think more of a trip to the gulf coast town than they do of playing in the Sugar Bowl?

Oklahoma will hold four secret practices this week and rest Sunday in preparation for the Jan. 2 game. No scrimmages are planned.

All the points Wilkinson has found to worry about should rank him as high a moaner as he is a coach.

Barons Roll On; Win Over Springfield 9-4

The Cleveland Barons have started on their second score of victories, all because they have the most potent punch in the American hockey league.

You may stop two or three of the team's big guns in a single evening only to have a couple of other fellows put on a dizzy scoring spree.

It happened last night. While the Barons' three main scorers, Les Douglas, Bob Carsé and Roy Kelly, were checked, two teammates each scored three goals to whip the Springfield Indians, 9-4. It was the 21st victory for the eastern division leaders.

Pete Leswick and Ken Schultz pulled the 'hat trick'—at Cleveland—the first time this year the feat was achieved in one game. It was the second of the year for each.

Family Tournament Begins Play Today

WILSON, N. C., Dec. 28—(AP)—The National Family basketball tournament opened here today.

Sixteen teams are entered in the annual event. All members of a team must be close relatives. A new champion will be crowned Friday night. The Clark family of Huntington, Ind., winners the last two years, are not entered.

Pairings in today's eighth first-round games include:

Miller, Galesburg, Ill., vs Becker, Wheeling, W. Va.
Morith, Batavia, N. Y., vs Snavely, Sidney, O.

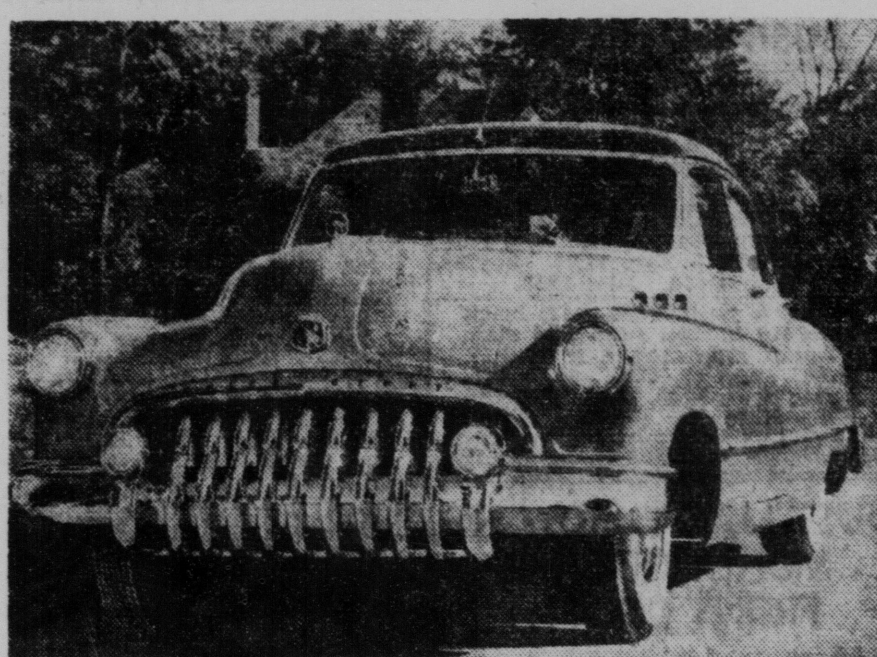
Kent State Favored In Youngstown Tourney

YOUNGSTOWN, Dec. 28—Defending champion Kent State, unbeaten in five starts this season, is favored to retain its championship in the four-college round-robin basketball tournament opening tonight at Youngstown South field house.

Kent's Golden Flashes meet the Youngstown Penguins and Mount Union opposes Muskingum tonight. On Thursday night the first round losers play a consolation game as a preliminary to the championship contest.

College Scores

St. Johns (BKN) 51, Utah 50
UCLA 60, CCNY 53
Syracuse 54, Brown 52
Dartmouth 62, Rochester 53
Marshall 83, Evansville 71
Tampa 57, Pennsylvania 53
Murray (Ky) 69, New Orleans 46
Loyola 46
Arizona 59, Texas Aggies 46
Kansas State 58, Kansas 48
Oklahoma Aggies 62, Vanderbilt 61
Chicago Loyola 70, Oregon 53
Bradley 68, DePaul 65
Illinois 58, Columbia 46
Oklahoma 66, Iowa State 57
Wyoming 44, Texas 35
Oklahoma City 43, Baylor 32
Arkansas 41, Alabama 33
Minnesota 51, Oregon State 41
Eastern Washington 67, Washington State 44
Bowling Green 59, Pepperdine (Los Angeles) 41
Holy Cross 54, Xavier 51



NEW BUICK.—This sturdy looking bumper and grille combination graces the front end of the complete line of 1950 Buick automobiles. Other distinctive features are the full taper-through front fenders, wrap-around bumpers with bomb-shaped bumper guards. The cars have completely new bodies, and a new and more powerful engine is under the graceful hood of the new Super sedan shown above.

\$10,000 In Jewels Returned By Cabbie

CHICAGO, Dec. 28—(AP)—An Akron, O., woman watched a taxicab pull away last night with her purse containing \$10,000 in jewelry on the back seat.

Mrs. Grace Dewitt had just alighted from the cab at a north side apartment building. She had forgotten her purse while helping her husband, Frank, an Akron real estate man, and their friend, Robert Guthery, a Marion, O., lawyer, unload their baggage.

A few minutes later, while Dewitt was reporting the loss to police, the cab driver, Oddy Alsbury, walked into the apartment building lobby and gave the purse to the manager, Dewitt.

gave the driver a check as a reward but wouldn't say for how much.

Zanesville Names Hope Its Honorary Mayor

ZANESVILLE, Dec. 28—(AP)—City councilmen feel Bob Hope has given their city so much free publicity that last night they named him honorary mayor.

And if the screen and radio star should accept an invitation to visit Zanesville he can run it, they said.

Hope, who was born in England and once lived in Cleveland, has mentioned Zanesville several times in his radio program.



A CHRISTMAS TREE FIRE STARTED ALL THIS.—Apartment house is enveloped in flames that sweep through three blocks of this small business community of Hyndman, Pa., southwestern Pennsylvania, Dec. 25. Fire was started from a Christmas tree in a jewelry store. Families evacuated many of their possessions as the fire raged.

News of Our Neighbors

Salem Township

Mrs. Hicy Cook and daughter, Patricia, entertained at a family dinner on Sunday. Mrs. Marie Henry, of Washington, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Arfman of Washington, D. C., were among those present. Hicy Cook, who is employed in Philadelphia, was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Helt and Mary Lou, Mrs. Nell Helt, Ted Helt and Betty Helt were guests at Christmas dinner in the Wayne Holloway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carroll and Jerry, Edward Wilhelm and family were among those present when Mrs. Martha Cope of Leontonia, entertained her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren for dinner on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stallo Bailey gave a family dinner on Monday in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilhelm entertained on Monday evening for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomas and Stephanie Jo.

Wayne Holloway and family were entertained Monday evening in the Chalmer Zimmerman home.

Mrs. Clifford Farmer is ill at her home and no company is allowed except the family. She suffered three heart attacks last week.

Miss Emma Floding was a guest in the Paul Smith home at West Point on Sunday.

New officers will be installed at St. Jacobs next Sunday morning.

Miss Jean Fager was a dinner guest in the Paul Sittler home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bartels and his father and mother, and Miss Charlotte Fager of Cleveland were holiday guests in the home of Rev. E. D. Fager.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Young and three children are guests this week in the home of their parents. Rev. and Mrs. Fager. Mr. Young is with the United States Navy and lives at Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart entertained their children at a family dinner on Monday. Those present were Miss Marjorie Hart

of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilhelm and Crystal of Alliance, and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krichbaum and children of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Temple were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gail Daugherty on Christmas day in Salem.

Mrs. Summers of the Midway district will be the January hostess for the Hi Neighbor Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Temple attended a funeral in New Galilee on Monday. In the evening they had Annabel Harding and Elsie Davis of Massillon, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ruthrauff of New Castle as their supper guests.

Mr. Lottee Strauss will be a house guest in the Charles Stelts home until after the New Year's holiday. Donald Stelts of Painesville was a guest of home folks over the weekend.

Joe Liebhart of Alliance spent Christmas with his son, Jimmie, in the Charles Stelts home.

Mr. and Mrs. De Vere Seamans and children, Peggy and Terry, of Stow were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stelts.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Frederick entertained Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Frederick of Youngstown and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Calvin and daughters at dinner on Saturday evening. Guests in the Frederick home for dinner on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilms and children, Gwendolyn, Gary and Caroline, Danny Stevens and Miss Rhoda Stevens of Columbiana, Kenneth Frost of North Lima, Edgar Wilms of Berlin Heights, and Margeris Grins, formerly of Latvia.

NUMBERS RACKET TAPPED

COLUMBUS, Dec. 28—(AP)—Some \$15,000 in cash and checks taken from Otto Beatty's home in a Christmas Eve holdup came from the numbers racket, Police Sgt. Paul Fulton said yesterday. Police said Beatty has been arrested eight times since 1940 on numbers charges.

OFF TO ROSE BOWL

COLUMBUS, Dec. 28—(AP)—A special train carrying some 180 Ohio State University foot-

HELD IN SHOOTING

IRONTON, Dec. 28—(AP)—Wesley Whitt, 42, of Macedonia Ridge (Lawrence county), yesterday was held to the grand jury on a shooting with intent to kill charge. Tommy Mattox, 17, who was shot Dec. 22 in Whitt's home, is in serious condition at Ironton General hospital.

Journal Entries

Firestone Stores vs Alfred Cochran; leave to defendant to file answer and cross petition instanter.

Wilda Barth vs Robert Barth; agreed journal entry on temporary alimony submitted and approved.

HOUSEWIFE MUZZLES HOWITZER.—Mrs. Margot Schnelle of Frankfurt, Germany, makes friends with a U. S. howitzer which she silenced single-handed in a battle with the U. S. Army. Mrs. Schnelle, who lives across the street from Army headquarters in Frankfurt, complained the daily cannon salutes were ruining her peace of mind. Army commander Col. B. H. Perry ordered the salutes to cease.

arrive in Los Angeles at 4 p. m. Saturday (Pacific Coast time). Among the passengers is University President Howard L. Bevis.

Transit Strike Costly To CTS

Cleveland Loss Is \$180,000; Cuts Profit

CLEVELAND, Dec. 28—(AP)—The municipally owned Cleveland Transit System estimated today it lost \$180,000 in the five-and-a-half day strike of AFL union employees.

That net loss was enough to put the system in red ink for its 1949 operation, Comptroller William H. Morrison said. Until the strike, which ended yesterday afternoon, the utility anticipated closing the year about \$60,000 in the black, he added.

The 4,200 operating employees who struck in protest of a cut in their vacation pay lost about the same amount—\$180,000—in wages, Morrison estimated. The protested vacation pay cut remains effective.

Bus, trolley and streetcar service for Cleveland's half million riders returned to normal early last night, ending the longest tie-up of public transportation here in more than a generation.

Resumption of service was effected speedily after a union membership vote to comply with Common Pleas Judge Joseph A. Artl's order that strikers return to work because their walkout was against the public policy.

Thousands of shoppers poured into the downtown area last night for post holiday clearance sales at stores which remained open until 9 p. m. The late openings and closing of stores eased the traffic problem on the final day of the strike.

The transportation tie-up on the final three Christmas shopping days cost stores "from \$3,000,000 up" in gross sales, William H. Gray, secretary of the Retail Merchants Board, calculated.

Motion picture exhibitors set their losses at varying figures of from 25 to 35 per cent of normal receipts.

Columbiana Courts

New Cases

S. M. and R. N. Johnson vs Irving Zweig and Hugh N. Leiper, Wellsville; action on cognovit note.

S. M. and R. N. Johnson vs same; action for foreclosure of chattel mortgage and equitable relief.

William Fast, by his next friend and father, Joseph Fast, Washingtonville, vs Lester Safred, R. D. 1, Leontonia; action for money, \$10,000.

Robert Hall, by his next friend and father, Ralph L. Hall, R. D. 5, Salem, vs same; action for money, \$5,000.

Garfield Riggs, Jr., by his next friend and father, Garfield Riggs, Sr., vs Harry McDanel, East Palestine; action for money, \$1,150.

John J. Riggs vs Harry McDanel, East Palestine; action for money, \$375.

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AKRON, Dec. 28—(AP)—The fire chief and police chief here will have to wait a while for a pay raise. City council's finance committee voted down an ordinance prior to today's council meeting, the last of 1949.

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Radio Time Table

WTAM 1100 National	WBCE 1480 American	WKBN 570 Columbia	WHK 1420 Mutual
WEDNESDAY—Night			
5:00 Girl Marries 5:15 Portia 5:30 Plain Bill 5:45 Front Page	To Be Ann'ced To Be Ann'ced Jack Armstrong Jack Armstrong Curt Massey	News Sports Ohio Story Lowell Thomas	Bar-B Ranch Bar-B Ranch Tom Mix Tom Mix
6:00 Byron Wade 6:15 News 6:30 Ohio Story 6:45 3 Star Extra	News Safety Control Ohio Story Regat Roundup	News Sports Ohio Story Lowell Thomas	News Open Range Dinner Winner Music Treasure
7:00 Lite Up Time 7:15 World News 7:30 Quintet 7:45 To Be Ann'ced	Fulton Lewis Eddie LeMar Lone Ranger Lone Ranger	Beulah Jack Smith Club 15 Edw. R. Murrow	Fulton Lewis Ringo Gabi Heater I Love Mystery
8:00 Your Life 8:15 Your Life 8:30 Gildersleeve 8:45 Gildersleeve	Dr. I. Q. Dr. L. Q. Basketball Basketball	Mr. Chameleon Mr. Chameleon Dr. Christian Dr. Christian	Dr. Kildare Dr. Kildare Press Club Press Club
9:00 Break Bank 9:15 Break Bank 9:30 Dist. Atty. 9:45 Dist. Atty.	Basketball Basketball Basketball Basketball	Groucho Marx Groucho Marx Bing Crosby Bing Crosby	Newsreel Gay 90's Family Theater Family Theater
10:00 Big Story 10:15 Big Story 10:30 Curtain Time 10:45 Curtain Time	Hockey Hockey On Trial On Trial	Burns & Allen Burns & Allen Lum'n Abner Lum'n Abner	News Dance Band Dance Band Dance Band
11:00 Tom Manning 11:15 1100 Club 11:30 1100 Club 11:45 1100 Club	News Sports Mod. Romances Mod. Romances	News Sports Round Robin Round Robin	News Dance Band Polka Party Polka Party
THURSDAY—Daylight			
7:00 Musical Clock 7:15 Musical Clock 7:30 Happy Hank 7:45 News	Weather Report News-Sports Alarm Clock Alarm Clock	News Altar Service Farm Bulletin News	News Breakfast Hour Wake & Swing Wake & Swing
8:00 Bob Reed 8:15 Bob Reed 8:30 News 8:45 A. Menjou	News-Sports Top O'Morning Top O'Morning Pioneer Sons	News Today's Hit Easy Listening Easy Listening	World News Morn'g Mat. Nickelodeon Nickelodeon
9:00 Off Record 9:15 Off Record 9:30 Woman's Club 9:45 Woman's Club	Breakfast Club Breakfast Club Breakfast Club Breakfast Club	Saddlemates Chapel Bells Downbeat Town Crier	B'kfast Party B'kfast Party Morn'g Mat. Elp. Hanson
10:00 Travelers 10:15 Travelers 10:30 Marriage 10:45 Dorothy Dix	Teleph. Quiz Carol's Notes Magas. of Air Mod'n Romance	Music Arthur Godfrey Arthur Godfrey Arthur Godfrey	Ch'ng Children Ch'ng Children Music Music
11:00 Love & Learn 11:15 Garroway 11:30 Jack Berch 11:45 Lora Lawton	Mod'n Romance Bob Graham Quick Flash Quick Flash	Arthur Godfrey Arthur Godfrey Grand Slam Rosemary	Polka Parade Polka Parade Polka Parade Movietime
12:00 Sdw. Wallace 12:15 Noddlers 12:30 Ed's Dought 12:45 Heart H'mony	House Party House Party News Farm-Plane	Wendy Warren Ann Janny News Just For You	News Lanny Ross Star Sing Bing Sings
1:00 Variety 1:15 Easy Aires 1:30 Nancy Dixon 1:45 Star's Sing	Luncheon Club Luncheon Club Carol Adams Listen	Big Sister Ma Perkins Dr. Malone Guiding Light	Cedric Foster H'wood U. S. A. Heatter Mail Vaughn Monroe
2:00 D'ble or N'th 2:15 D'ble or N'th 2:30 Today's Child 2:45 World Light	Br'kfst H'wood Br'kfst H'wood Bride Groom Bride Groom	2nd Mrs. Burt'n Ferry Mason Nora Drake Bright Day	Behind Story Pop. Polkas Queen For Day Queen For Day
3:00 Life B'tful 3:15 Road of Life 3:30 Pepper Young 3:45 Happiness	Pick Date Pick Date Be Seated Be Seated	H. Trent Hilltop House News-Melody Garry Moore	Pop. Polkas Matinee Dance Matinee Dance Matinee Dance
4:00 B'kstage Wife 4:15 Stella Dallas 4:30 Lorenzo Jones 4:45 Widow Brown	Galen Drake House Party House Party 1480 Club	Garry Moore Garry Moore Matinee Listen Post	Matinee Dance Matinee Dance Matinee Dance Jimmie Allen
THURSDAY—Night			
5:00 Girl Marries 5:15 Portia 5:30 Plain Bill 5:45 Front Page	Santa Claus Santa Claus J. Armstrong J. Armstrong	News Melody Matinee Melody Matinee Curt Massey	Straight Arrow Straight Arrow Capt. Midnight Capt. Midnight
6:00 Byron Wade 6:15 News 6:30 Sammy Kaye 6:45 3 Star Extra	News Sports Jan Garber Salon Music	News Sports Tophatters Lowell Thomas	News Open Range Dinner Winner Music Treasure
7:00 Lite Up Time 7:15 World News 7:30 Symphonette 7:45 Symphonette	Fulton Lewis Eddie LeMar Counterspy Counterspy	Beulah Jack Smith Club 15 Edw. R. Murrow	Fulton Lewis Ringo Gabi Heater I Love Mystery
8:00 Aldrich Fam. 8:15 Aldrich Fam. 8:30 Father Knows 8:45 Father Knows	Blondie Blondie Fish & Hunt Fish & Hunt	FBI Peace-War FBI Peace-War Mr. Keen Mr. Keen	Calif. Caravan Calif. Caravan Fish & Hunt Fish & Hunt
9:00 Screen Guild 9:15 Screen Guild 9:30 Duffy's Tav. 9:45 Duffy's Tav.	Amateur Hour Amateur Hour Amateur Hour Name Movie	Suspense Suspense Crime Photog'r Crime Photog'r	Newsreel Gay 90's Candlelight Candlelight
10:00 Supper Club 10:15 Supper Club 10:30 Draget 10:45 Draget	B. Montgomery B. Montgomery Quartets Quartets	Playhouse Playhouse Music Music	Tunes Tunes Dance Band Dance Band
11:00 Tom Manning 11:15 M. Downey 11:30 1100 Club 11:45 1100 Club	News Sports Basketball Basketball	News Sports Round Table Round Table	News Johnny Vadal Johnny Vadal Polka Party

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



Television Programs

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
5:00 Unk Jake's 5:30 Western 5:45 Stars 6:00 Platter 6:45 News 6:55 Weather 7:00 Melody 7:15 Sheldon 7:30 News 7:45 Sheldon 8:00 Godfrey 9:00 Show 9:30 Boxing 11:00 Wrestling 12:00 News 12:10 Mr. O. K. Coming	6:45 Home 7:00 Fran & Ollie 7:30 News 7:45 Easy Aces 8:00 Godfrey 9:00 Dunninger 9:30 Weather 11:45 Coming WNBK 5:10 Bulletin 5:15 Judy 5:30 Howdy Doo 6:00 Cactus Jim 6:30 Bob Reed 6:52 Weather 6:55 Today 7:00 Fran & Ollie 7:30 Showroom 7:45 News 8:00 Crisis 8:30 Clock 9:30 Theater 10:00 Bank 10:30 Previews WDTV 5:15 Concert 5:30 Howdy Doo 6:00 Western 6:30 Lucky Pup

Questions and Answers

Q—Does the Forest Service rent sites on the national forests for summer homes?

A—Sites for summer homes may be rented from the Forest Service on most national forests. Information regarding available summer-home tracts may be had from the forest supervisor of the national forest concerned.

Q—Who determines the date on which Arbor Day shall be observed?

A—In some states the law specifies the date on which Arbor Day will be observed, while in others the date is specified by the governor or another official.

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



CARNIVAL

By Turner



"Tak, tak! How embarrassing! I forgot me wallet—all I seem to have on me is dis gun!"

Sea Creature

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL
1.4 Depicted
7 Beverage
10 It is from
to eight feet
11 Fruit drink
12 Spanish jar
14 Malt beverage
15 Time
17 Central
18 Concerning
19 While
21 Negative reply
22 Within
(comb. form)
24 Brain passage
26 Stupify
27 Vein of ore
28 Doctor of
Medicine (ab.)
29 Hebrew deity
30 Exist
31 Chaos
32 Foreteller
34 Young horse
37 Measure of
land
38 Pen name of
Charles Lamb
39 Note of scale
40 Reduces
46 Part of "be"
47 Work unit
49 It is found in
the waters of the
Atlantic
50 United
51 Pace
53 Era
54 Small nail
55 Greek letter
56 Flax fiber
57 Assent

VERTICAL
1 Mute
2 Night before
an event
3 An (Scot.)
4 Rabbit
5 Sent
6 Heredity unit
7 Preposition
8 Shade tree
9 Straightened
10 Charges for
transportation
13 Worship
15 Phenyl (ab.)
16 Georgia (ab.)
17 Preposition
20 Makes quiet
23 More mute
25 Hydrocarbon
32 Bargain
events
33 Card game
35 Climbing
plants
36 Domesticated
41 Half an em
42 Ship
43 Jason's ship
(myth.)
44 Simmer
45 Exclamation
of inquiry
46 Obtain
50 Mineral rock
52 Parent
54 Near

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Brannan Plan Flayed By Taft

Cites Fallacies He
Finds In Parity Idea

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—U. S. Senator Robert A. Taft (R) of Ohio sees the American Farm Bureau federation's rejection of the Brannan plan as a move in opposition to "socialism and the handout state."

The Brannan plan, he explained, proposes that the government guarantee parity prices to the farmer, and then let the product be sold to the consumer at whatever price it brings, the difference being charged to the taxpayer.

Since the guarantee would produce a surplus, he added, it would require a quite low price to get rid of the surplus—with the government paying more to meet the difference the price and parity.

"The appeal of the plan," Mr. Taft said, "is based on what looks like a very simple argument. Parity represents the fair price which the farmer ought to receive; therefore, it is argued, the government should guarantee it to the farmer."

"The fallacy lies in the argumentative conclusion. For if the government undertook to guarantee everybody in the United States that which he ought to receive, there is no way for it to perform its guarantee without taking charge of the whole situation and operating a planned and controlled economy."

A parallel proposal, Mr. Taft said, is that of Jack Kroll at the recent C. I. O. meeting—that the government guarantee a job to every man.

"That sounds reasonable, too," Mr. Taft pointed out. "It is a perfectly legitimate goal. Government policy should be di-



COAST-TO-COAST ON FOOT—Mr. and Mrs. William Stockdale of Putnam, Conn., on their way to California, walk into Dallas in time to spend the holidays. Carrying their belongings in a wagon, they have been walking all the way from Connecticut. The dog, who wears heavy pads on his feet, is a pure-bred boxer named Taj Mahal.

rected toward the accomplishment of that goal.

"But a guarantee is a very different thing. If the government is to guarantee every man a job, then it will have to have the power to create jobs and to go into any business it chooses for that purpose."

"But this may not solve the problem, because it is likely to put out of work the men in these private industries discouraged by the government competition."

Mr. Taft said his recent trip

through Ohio convinced him that neither the farmer nor the workman believes in "any such promises or guarantees."

FARM BUREAU TO MEET

Members of the Green Township Farm Bureau will meet at 8 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 10, in the home of D. M. Charlton of Greenford, new president. Mrs. Howard Tobin is the new secretary.

TRY SALEM NEWS WANT ADS

Moscow Says Yanks Were Jap Guinea Pigs

LONDON, Dec. 28 — (AP) — Radio Moscow said Japanese on trial for war crimes in Siberia admitted using American war prisoners as human guinea pigs in germ warfare tests.

In a trial of 12 Japanese army officers, the radio broadcast said, some of the defendants asserted these experiments with deadly, plague, cholera and other germs were in preparation for launching germ-bomb attacks on the United States and Britain during World War II.

One defendant, Gen. Otozoo Yamada, former commander of the Japanese Kwantung army in Manchuria, was said to have testified that germ experiments on prisoners were aimed primarily

for use on the Soviet Union, the Mongolian people's republic and China in addition to the U. S. and Britain.

According to reported testimony by Tomio Karasawa, second defendant to appear before the court, lethal germs were used by the Japanese army's top-secret germ warfare branch "to ascertain the degree of vulnerability of the American army to differ-

ent combat infections." (In Tokyo, General MacArthur's headquarters said there are no records of the Japanese having experimented with germs on American prisoners. As far as headquarters knew the Japanese had never been accused by any of the Americans held at Mukden, scene of the alleged experiment, of using them as germ-warfare guinea pigs.)

A THOUGHT

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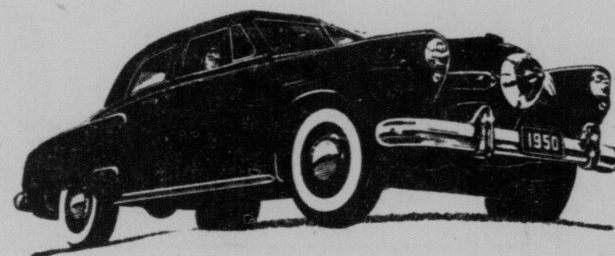
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